

OUR COUNTY Correspondents

NEWS FROM JACKSONVILLE.

What is Going On at the County Seat of Jackson County.

W. H. Stewart was in Jacksonville Tuesday on business.

T. J. Kinney returned Sunday from a several weeks' trip north.

Deputy Sheriff R. B. Dow was in Medford on official business Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Martin left Saturday evening for Portland, where she will reside.

The Cronemiller-Davis-Poe party returned Saturday from Klamath county.

Oscar Dunford is confined to his home by a severe attack of kidney trouble.

Attorney A. E. Reames went to Salem Monday on business before the Supreme court.

Cashier John S. Orth of the Medford bank was attending to business matters in Jacksonville Tuesday.

District Attorney B. F. Mulkey returned Tuesday from a two weeks' attendance on Circuit court in Josephine county.

Mrs. Joe Rader of Eagle Point and Mrs. C. C. Taylor of Medford spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. Nellie Newbury of Jacksonville.

The Taft-Sherman Republican club of Jacksonville has made extensive arrangements for a meeting on Wednesday. District Attorney B. F. Mulkey, Hon. W. H. Gore and others will address the meeting.

New Cases Filed in Circuit Court. Martin Perry vs. Lulu J. Perry—Suit for divorce on grounds of desertion. Mr. and Mrs. Perry were married at Jacksonville in 1897. Attorney for plaintiff, Charles Prim.

Marriage Licenses. J. T. Dipon and Bertha Nichols, Eugene Savage and Laura Evans, A. L. Irwin and Sadie J. Rhodes, Lucius Waterman and Anna Edith Snapp.

County Commissioner's Court. Bills for September allowed. In matter of taxes due W. L. McClure—Ordered that W. L. McClure be granted a rebate of \$2.50 on account of double assessment.

In the matter of the insurance of courthouse—Ordered that court be insured for the sum of \$25,000, the policies to be for three years' term.

In the matter of the allowance for family of C. G. Swain, indigents—Ordered that \$5 per month be allowed family.

In matter of road petitioned for by B. H. Harris et al.—Ordered that Frank Grise, Frank Neil and L. B. Castor meet October 17 to view out said road.

County hospital report filed. In the matter of change of road petitioned for by J. A. Gammill—Ordered that said change be granted according to surveyor's report.

In matter of petition of T. J. Par-ton for change of road—Ordered that Frank Grise, G. A. Hover and N. S. Bennett meet to view out said road October 31.

In matter of the assignment of certain tax sale certificates—Ordered that certain tax sale certificates be assigned to different parties mentioned in the order.

County clerk's statement of the expenses of Jackson county for six months ending October 1, 1908, filed.

In the matter of the cancellation of certain tax sale certificates—Ordered cancelled.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS.

A Budget of News From This Prosperous District.

(By A. C. Howlett.)

Last week C. E. Hoyt of Fort Klamath dropped in here. He came over to bring a passenger from Fort Klamath to Medford.

William Knighton announced on Tuesday morning that he had another grandchild, but failed to give the name of the parents.

A gentleman by the name of Blue, of Iowa, stopped here several days last week. He was looking for a home somewhere around here.

Oren Bellows and one of the Stoll boys from Butte Falls called on us for dinner last Tuesday. They report everything flourishing at the Falls.

Messrs. Turell and Dexter have reopened the meat market formerly occupied by R. C. Avery, who had to close on account of holding down a homestead.

Mrs. Steward of La Grande, a sister of Mrs. R. G. Brown and aunt of Mrs. William Brown, arrived last week on a visit. She was accompanied by her grandson.

Robbie Jonas, from Wallowa, arrived in time to attend the funeral of his father, he meeting the procession on the desert between here and the Central Point cemetery.

Dr. Adkins and Rev. McKee were out one day last week trying to raise by subscription funds to pay the salary of a new preacher, as Rev. Clevenger has gone to other fields.

The death of Jesse Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. William and Kate Dennis of Butte, Mont., of scarlet fever, aged 11 years, is announced. The deceased was a grandson of Mrs. A. N. Thomas of Eagle Point.

Mr. Bristol, formerly of Eagle Point, but recently of La Grande, was a caller and sojourner for about a week at the Sunnyside last week. He has sold his property in La Grande and came to seek a home here.

Frank Netherland, one of the proprietors of the Caster mill, and another gentleman whose name I did not learn, stopped here last Monday night with a load of timber for the Day Bros. of Medford. They are to be turned into posts for building purposes.

Lon E. Smith, who went, with his brother Rollan and family, to help them across the mountains, went as far as the Yanax agency and there met their brother Grant with teams

to help them on. They were going to Lakeview, and returned home on Wednesday of last week.

Scott Bruce, one of the carpenters who has been boarding here, went to his home on the unsurveyed last week to visit his wife, and John Lee, who has been boarding and working with him, went to Medford last Monday, leaving Mr. Bruce to finish up the job they were working on for Mr. Haak.

The death of J. A. Jonas will necessitate the election of another school clerk for this school district, but as yet the board has not put up any notice. It is understood that they had a school meeting last Friday night and decided to write to the county superintendent to know what to do in the case.

Dr. Grover and wife, who have a claim on the unsurveyed, came out last week and went to Los Angeles to spend the winter. Mr. Austin brought them and their belongings out and took them to Medford, on account of the P. & E. train not making connection with the Southern Pacific at the depot.

A gentleman by the name of Davis from Elk Creek came to the Sunnyside last Monday with his little daughter. She had fallen from a plum tree a distance of only about two feet, and had broken one bone in her right arm. Dr. Holt was called in and rendered the necessary assistance, and the next morning he took her to Medford on the P. & E. motor.

Professor A. H. Peachey, wife and daughter, Miss Bertha, our primary teacher, spent the evening with the Howlett family last Monday. Mr. Peachey is engaged in teaching school at Yankey Creek, but his school will close this week. Mrs. Peachey, who lives most of the time in Ashland, where her children are attending school, has come up to put up supplies for winter from their garden on Yankey Creek.

Carl Ringer was out last Monday with Charley Thomas' team and left them standing at the blacksmith shop a moment, and during that moment they took a notion to take a spin, and so they started down Main street at breakneck speed. Just then Carl started, too. He had the lines wrapped around the brake so that he could not handle the horses, but he was equal to the emergency. He simply climbed over the front wheels, the spokes striking him on the knees all the time, and soon got the horses under control. He says that all the damage done was to his knees and they will soon get well.

NORTH TALENT NEWS.

(By M. O. C.)

Miss Clara Allen went to Medford on Tuesday morning to attend the Sunday school convention being held there.

J. R. Henry and A. G. Cray are cutting wood up in the hills and hauling down to their homes in North Talent.

C. T. Payne arrived from the Fern district Tuesday. He states that Charley Fern is in a critical condition with typhoid fever.

School commenced in the Woodman hall, October 5, with a full attendance. Professor Standard, assisted by his wife, are teaching both grades this year.

Mrs. Joseph Sturdivent and husband and family, and also a married daughter, Mrs. Lawrence, are here visiting Mrs. Sturdivent's father, E. Gibbs, and looking over the country.

Three lads about 16 years of age were seen loafing about the streets of Phoenix Tuesday. One was offering a new razor for sale. They were acting suspiciously and several citizens had it in mind to turn them over to the sheriff, as they seemed to have several articles with them that looked out of place.

TABLE ROCK ITEMS.

(By N. Y. Z.)

The barn on the Mears place is nearing completion.

A much-needed rain came Saturday night and farmers are plowing.

David Finimore has sold his farm here to Chicago parties for \$10,000.

The Kinkead family were recent sufferers from malaria, but are improving.

Stuart Porter of Yoncalla, a former Table Rock boy, is at work for E. O. Bissell.

The ladies of the Dorcas Sewing society met with Mrs. F. A. Green last Wednesday.

Carpenters are at work on the old Galloway house, repairing the roof and adding porches.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Bissell, S. I. Watkins and Mrs. S. K. Adams and family spent Saturday in Medford.

General and Mrs. Greenleaf have returned to their home in San Francisco after an outing at J. C. Pendleton's.

Messrs. Tronson and Guthrie, from Eagle Point, with Mr. Webb of Portland, spent Saturday at Table Rock orchard.

Miss Hazel Byrum was given a surprise picnic dinner at noon hour at school Friday in honor of her 13th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Osgood and Herman "Lupin" from Seattle, re-

cently spent a few days with Colonel and Mrs. R. C. Washburn.

S. M. Mears left for San Francisco for a few days' stay, after spending some time here to oversee the letting of contracts for building a house.

F. A. Green and Mrs. Effie Watkins were chosen delegates to attend the Sunday school convention in Medford this week to represent our Sunday school.

The following teachers were chosen for our Sunday school: Bible class, Mrs. Effie Watkins; Intermediate class, Mrs. S. I. Watkins; Junior class, Miss Margaret Nealon; primary class, Mrs. E. H. Davis. A teachers' meeting and song practice is planned for Friday evenings.

Si Conley and family have moved onto his father's farm. They invited their neighbors to spend an evening with them for a farewell party, and many accepted and spent a very pleasant evening in talking and were served with refreshments of cake, coffee and melons. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Watkins and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hitzler, Mrs. B. A. Bissell, Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Bissell and daughter Mildred, Mrs. E. H. Davis, Misses Mary and Fern Reid, Maude Fields; Messrs. Henry and Albert Kilbourn, Guy and Willie Davis, Albert, Victor and Kent Reid. All left at a late hour regretting to lose Mr. Conley and family as neighbors.

HORSE CRUELLY TREATED.

Tied 36 Hours Without Anything to Eat or Drink.

Yesterday afternoon J. R. Wilson, who lives out on Griffin creek, telephoned Chief of Police Shearer of this city, stating that a horse had been tied to a tree near his place since about noon Monday, or longer than that. An investigation into the case made by Deputy Charles Tull disclosed the fact that the horse belonged to a man by the name of Dyer, who lives in the western part of Medford.

It is claimed Dyer had gone out on Griffin creek with the horse and a light wagon some time Monday and that the horse had refused to pull the load of wood, and it was tied to a tree or post and Dyer came to the city on foot.

When Mr. Tull went to the man's house yesterday afternoon he was told by Mrs. Dyer that her husband would go after the animal last night. At fifteen minutes of ten last night Dyer was still in Medford and presumably the animal was still tied to a tree at Griffin creek.

From the time Mr. Wilson saw the animal tied to a tree until 10 o'clock last night the animal had been tied there without food or water for fully 36 hours. This is surely a case which ought to have the attention of the cruelty to animals order, and if there be no such an order, then the district attorney should take the matter up and prosecute the offender to the fullest extent.

CLAIMS MOCK MARRIAGE.

Mrs. Penn was Married in the Regular Legal Way.

RED BLUFF, Cal., Oct. 14.—Mrs. B. Stacia Penn, or Mrs. B. Stacia Penn Spencer, despite her contention in a Los Angeles divorce court that she was a party to a mock marriage, is by all records of state and church a married woman.

Her version of the story is an entire fabrication, and she must be a victim of brainstorm, for the marriage is absolutely legal. Besides, in her testimony she avers she was married in Chico, but the records show that she was married in Red Bluff by Rev. Harry A. Cresser of St. Peter's church.

There was absolutely no collusion by any of the parties of the legal or clerical officials concerned. The marriage was performed only after a marriage license was secured from the county clerk and entered upon the records of the state and church.

ADVERTISED LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain un-called for at the Postoffice at Medford, Oregon, October 14, 1908:

Blackman, Chas. Bolsun, Richard, Jr. Brown, J. H. Calset, W. M. Casselman, J. M. Corbett, J. D. Duty, H. P. Hampton, Harry Hobson, Euphia Johnson, Ed. (4) Leeds, Howard Morse, J. P. Miller, John B. Norton, W. B. Osborn, William Richards, Jas. Riggins, J. M. Rhoton, W. H. Roberts, Frank Scott, Ed. Somerholder, S. True, Allen P. Walkers, Albert Wright, Mr.

Parties calling for any of the above letters will please say "advertised." A charge of one cent will be made upon delivery of each of the above letters.

A. M. Woodford, P. M.

—We sell Blue Stem Flour. Miller & Ewbank.

Anniversary Sale Bargains
Extra Discount of 5 per cent on Bills of \$5.00 or More
 If you come to town on the railroad we will
Return Railroad Fare
 so that you can trade just as easy and for no more expense than in your home town. If you don't come by rail we will give you a
Discount of 5 per cent
 on all purchases of \$5.00 and over, no matter whether goods are on sale or not.

Suit Department Specials
Bought for this Sale

Our Ready-to-Wear section offers the greatest inducements to those who care to save. A lady came from Klamath Falls and saw a coat in our store marked \$5.00 which the merchant there was asking \$7.50 for, needless to say we sold her a coat.

Here are some more bargains:

Suits worth up to \$20 for	\$11.00	Skirts worth to \$6 for	\$2.98	Skirts worth to \$9 for	\$5.00
Suits worth up to \$40 for	\$25.00	Skirts worth to \$11 for	\$7.00	Skirts worth to \$13.50 for	\$9.89
Suits worth to \$30 for only	\$20.00	Children's Coats worth to \$2.50	\$1.50	Child's Coats worth to \$4 for	\$2.25
Suits worth to \$75 for	\$40.00	Ladies' Coats worth to \$9 for	\$5.00	Ladies' Coats worth to \$14	\$11.00

Neckwear Worth 17c A lot of fine Neckwear, odds and ends of broken lines; regular 25c, 35c and 50c values—only 17c to close out for choice

Belts Worth up to 25c A lot of odds and ends of broken lines of new and stylish belts for ladies; values from 25c and along to 75c, 25c

Ribbon Worth to 15c A big lot of plain and fancy all-silk and Union Ribbons; regular 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c values, to close, choice. 15c



Everything for the Little Tots

You should visit our Infants Wear Department if you have any little friends to remember this Xmas.

HOODS in crochet, wool, silk, bearskin, velvet, felt, etc. 25c and to \$2.50
 BOOTEES—The latest assortment you ever saw anywhere. 10c and to \$1.50
 SWEATERS—Say, you can't imagine how pretty they are. 75c and to \$2.50
 SACQUES—in the machine and hand-knit; values, yes. 25c and to \$2.00
 LEGGINGS—in single and double, long and short. 25c and to 75c
 CARRIAGE ROBES—A dandy value at. \$1.50
 TOQUES at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00
 MITTENS at 25c and along to 50c

HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, ETC., IN ALL SIZES.

12 1-2 Silkoline 9c Silkoline makes the best covering for comfortables because it is soft and clinging and wears well. Just received, a big line bought special; worth 12 1/2c for 9c

Cotton Batting Rock River Cotton Bats are cleaner, fluffier and make warmer, more lasting and more satisfactory fillings for comfortables; a regular \$1.25 90c 4-pound bat for

Medfords "Littlecost" Ladie's Shop
Baker-Hutchason Co.
 Central Ave., Just North of Jackson County Bank

THE CHARTER OAK.
 Belle Tolded and Funeral Dirges Played When It Fell.

The charter oak of Hartford was a white oak. The story goes that when James, duke of York, ascended the throne of England and sent Andros to take away all colonial charters Connecticut alone refused to surrender hers. Andros was furious over this defiance, and Oct. 31, 1687, he returned to the assembly hall of Hartford with a body of soldiers and demanded instant surrender of the charter, which lay in a box on the table. A hot discussion followed. Finally Andros stretched out his hand to seize the disputed paper. Then the candles were suddenly extinguished, and the people who had gathered on the street outside rushed in a disorderly crowd into the hall. There was a period of wild confusion in the dark, and when the candles were finally relighted no charter was to be found. It had been removed by Captain Wadsworth and concealed in the oak, which ever afterward bore its name.

The oak was even then old. "When the first settlers were clearing their land the Indians begged that it might be spared. 'It has been the guide of our ancestors for centuries,' they said, 'as to the time of planting our corn. When the leaves are the size of a mouse's ears, then is the time to put seed into the ground.' The Indians' request was granted, and the tree, afterward becoming the custodian of the lost charter, became famous for all time. It fell in a windstorm Aug. 21, 1850, and so deeply was it venerated that at sunset on the day of its fall the bells of the city were tolled and a band of music played funeral dirges over its ruins.

At the time of its fall its circumference one foot from the ground was twenty-five feet, and it was estimated to be over 600 years old.—Kansas City Star.

St. Mark's Church.
 The Little Church on the corner of Seventh and H streets. The Rev. Samuel Dorrance of Ashland will conduct the service and preach at the morning service, Sunday, October 18. In the evening, the Rev. F. C. Williams will preach on the subject, "Gambling." A cordial invitation is extended to you to attend these services.

FOR SALE—Cheap. Fresh milk cows. M. W. Wheeler, Two miles northeast of Phoenix.

County Treasurer's Fifteenth Call for County Warrants.
 Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the treasury to pay all warrants protested from July 2, 1907, to July 21, 1907, both dates inclusive. Interest on said warrants ceases from date of first publication of this notice, October 16, 1908.

JAS. M. CRONEMILLER,
 County Treasurer.

—We pay 40 cents per dozen for fresh eggs. Miller & Ewbank.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of George A. Alsdorf, late of Jackson county, Oregon, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same to the undersigned at her residence near Medford, Oregon, duly verified according to law, for examination and allowance, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 15th day of October, A. D. 1908. MARY J. ALSDORF,
 Administratrix of the estate of George A. Alsdorf, deceased.
 Wm. S. Crowell, attorney.

FOR SALE—Ranch of 811 acres, 100 acres plow land, 100 more capable of being cleared and plowed, balance pasture and timber; good fruit land, plenty of water, buildings worth \$3000; hay, grain, stock and implements go with the place; will take small ranch or town property for part or all; "dry" town preferred; correspondence solicited. Frank Wisson, Myrtle Creek, Or. 4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Matthew M. Coleman, deceased, by the County Judge of Jackson County, Oregon, the said appointment having been made on the 15th day of September, 1908.

All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to file the same with me within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1908.

ELMER G. COLEMAN,
 Administrator

LOST—A light bay horse, weight 1050 pounds, branded GM on left shoulder, slightly lame in left shoulder, 9 years old. Address L. C. Dawson, Stagle Reward. If

FOR CHAPPED HANDS.
 Chapped skin whether on the hands or face may be cured in one night by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It is also unequalled for sore nipples, burns and scalds. For sale by Chas. Strang.

FOR SALE—Seed Wheat. Enquire Medford Mail Office. 39-4t

YOU CAN BUY

TAN OR BLACK HIGH-CUT SHOES CHEAPER FROM US.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR FLORSHEIM & CO.'S WET-DE-FI VISCOLIZED SHOES.

COHN-NICKLEBURG & CO.'S HIGH-CUT SHOES AT \$5, \$7, \$7.50 AND \$8 PER PAIR.

FULL LINE OF CRUISERS' AND DRIVERS' HEAVY SHOES, RUBBER BOOTS, ETC.

VAN DYKE'S

Each Tenth to Be Given Away

Beginning Monday, October 12, and running through the week we are going to refund the purchase price of each tenth purchase up to \$10.00. It does not matter whether it is a nickel worth of tacks or a Toledo Range, a Maud S. Pump or a mouse trap, a 1900 Washer or a 6-inch file, a dozen Corbin locks or a paint brush, each person will be registered on the cash register and should yours be the tenth one you will get your money back up to \$10.

You can buy at prices never before offered to you in Northern Oregon. People are now seeing how much money is saved by paying cash as they go, and we see our sales increasing. You may not believe this, but we dare you to try it and we know just what you will say. Remember that for six days we will give to each tenth purchaser his money back up to \$10 for one week only. Buy anything you need, a heater stove, a range, a tub, a hoe, a hammer. You may get it for nothing. Where? Why, at

"SHORTIE" GARNETT
 OF COURSE