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everyone has boxes he is enabled to mountain ranch. cover his route in better time and tr service and can serve more people. tain ranch near Geppert's.

street and number on their letters. When writing to your correspondents WILL NEED BOXES request them to address your mail to the proper number and street. Also have have the publishers of your papers and magazines address them to street and number.

BUTTE FALLS ITEMS.

Graudma Parker, who does not often visit us, is paying her friends in Butte Falls a short visit. Grandma

looks well and hearty and we are month it is the desire of the postof- glad to greet her. May she enjoy many years of life is our wish.

Mr. Givens and family of Eagle Point, who have been rusticating in River Courier. obligatory on the part of the patrons, the hills near by, left this Tuesday morning for their home.

delivered. At places where no boxes Druggist Butler and Miss Fannie Has- merly owned by J. O. B. Gunn and kins, are camping at Camp Nick.

Government Inspector Benedict is among us and inquiring into homesteads and as to the whereabouts of those men who have made affidavits against the homesteaders. It is to be hoped that these men will be thoroughly investigated and indictments found against any who have sought to injure the settler. If the government would get a class of reliable men in their work and not depend upon men of impeachable and untrustworthy character, it would speak better

Mr. Ayres, wife and daughters are This is not only a convenience to visiting William Perry and on Tuesthe patron, but to the carrier. If day left for an outing near Geppert's

John Allen drove a band of horses therefore can give each patron a bet- from his Derby ranch to his moun-

MINING REVIVAL IN ery is the placing of each person's JOSEPHINE COUNTY

> Smelter Changes Hands and Mines Increase Working Force-

> > **Revival Promised.**

The mining world is fairly startled by the copper development which is going on this season in this part of the state and more particularly in Josephine county, says the Rogue

nated at Takilma, three miles easter-A. W. Fox, of San Francisco, has ing operated on a liberal scale under the supervision of B. Jamison, an experienced copper miner. With 60 men he has put on the dump fully \$200,000 worth of ore during the last mented at this time by a daily output of about \$7000 worth of the prettiest face of any mine in America. The ore is uniformly high-grade, being a ing from 12 to 18 per cent copper and Immeinse ore reserves are being block ed out and the dump herein referred represents only the ore taken out in development work

The company has constructed a from the mine to the smelter, two eason will not be a difficult task.

The Takilma Smelting company has seen absorbed by the Elder Mining company. The new concern is already in charge and 45 men will be employed at the plant. E. M. Walter will be manager and he, with his wife and daughter, arrived from Solorado Springs and went down to Takilma the first of the week. It is announced that the smelter will blow in about the 25th of this month, but not later than the first of August. The big plant will be in operation inside of two weeks

Coke for Smelter. Twenty-five four-horse teams have been engaged to haul coke to the smelter from Grants Pass and to return loaded with copper matte. The Guggenheims, acting on the professional advice of Walliam B. Farrish of Denver, one of the leading mining experts in the United States, have taken over the Dakin copper mines just over the mountain from the Waldo mine and will put 100 men to work at once. The Big Preston Peak mine in the same district, owned by George W. Young of New York, who ten days ago married the famous Lillian Nordica, is soon to be again operated and the Ivanpah group of 12 claims in same district owned by C. L. Mangum of Grants Pass, and John R. Reeves of Goldfield, Nev., is now under development and is mak ing a magnificent showing of highgrade ore. The properties of John F. Sanger, E. M. Albright, Webb brothand many others are being worked on a limited scale and in every inthe showing is very flattering. What this great district needs most is transportation facilities. **REACHING THE SPOT** It Can Be Done, So Scores of Medford Citizens Say To cure an aching back. The pains of rheumatism, The tired-out feelings, You must reach the spit-get at the ause. In most cases 'tis the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are for the kid-G. L. Boone, corner Ninth and C streets, Medford, Or., says: "I was troubled with rheumatism when I first began using Doan's Kidney Pills, I did not think they would do me any good, but finally procured a box at linekins' drug store. They proved to be the remedy I required My kidneys were restored to their normal condition, were removed. Doan'z Kidney Pills lived up to their representations in my case."

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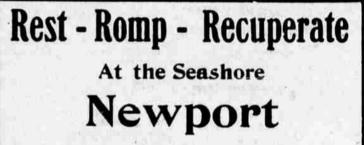


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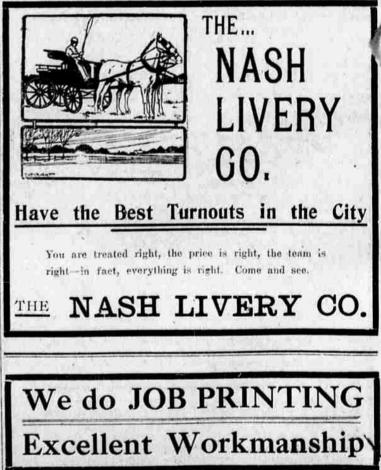
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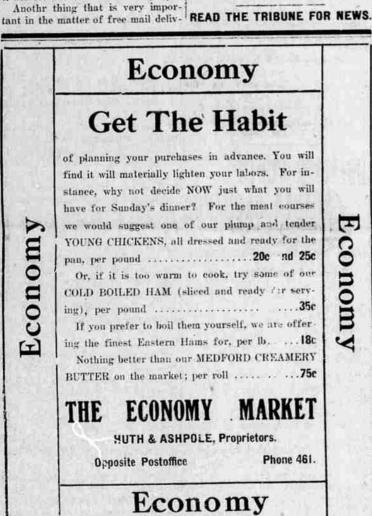
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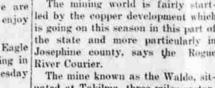
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