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A SAD SHOOTING ACCIDENT.

The Accidental Shooting of a Hunting Companion Results Seriously.

An accident which may result fatally occurred near Ashland last Friday, just before noon.

The unfortunate victim of the accident was Joseph Million, a well known resident of Ashland. He, with E. Farlow and P. W. Paulson, was hunting grouse up the valley near Shepherd's ranch. The men having separated to scare the game up from the brush, took positions unknown to one another, and when the game arose to fly, Mr. Paulson fired, Joe Million receiving the full charge at a distance of about forty yards.

He was brought to Ashland at once and medical attention summoned from here and from Medford.

The seriousness of the accident resulted from each eye being struck by a shot, which, for some time, rendered him totally blind, but before he was taken to San Francisco on Saturday's "Flyer," Joe could distinguish moving objects with the left eye, the sight of which may be saved.

Latest telegram up to press time for this side reports Joe in good spirits and resting easily. He sends best regards to his friends. The physician entertains great hopes of saving one eye.

Mrs. Purdy Returns Home.

Last Saturday, Mrs. Purdy, wife of Major Gen. Purdy, of God's Regular Army, and little daughter left for the Army Headquarters in Sacramento. They started with a horse and light buggy, intending to make the entire trip in this manner. Before leaving, they solicited subscriptions of small sums of money from our citizens to pay their toll along the road.

The "Burglar."

The "Burglar" was poorly attended Monday evening. The show evidently travels on its reputation.

Ashland Public Schools.

Report of Principal of Ashland Public Schools for month ending Oct. 25, 1895:

Number days of attendance, boys 4464; girls 4437; total 8901.

Number days of absence, boys 375; girls 382; total 757.

Number cases of tardiness, boys 86; girls 64; total 150.

Whole number enrolled on register, boys 251; girls 248; total 499.

Number of new scholars, boys 13; girls 17; total 30.

Average daily attendance, 445.

Per cent. of attendance, 92.

Number of visitors, 68.

Cases of corporal punishment, 8.

Tardiness of teachers, 1.

Days absence of teachers, 0.

Investigate and be Convinced.

At the present time, when low prices prevail, the farmer, orchardist or vineyardist who handles his routine work, as well as his crop, the most cheaply and expediently, is the man who shows the best profit for the year. It therefore follows that since the Ajax Coal Oil Gas Engine is the latest, best and cheapest power obtainable, that Palmer & Rey, San Francisco, Cal., are in a position to help you add materially to the net profit of your ranch. Investigate and be convinced.

Inspection of Co. D, O. N. G.

The regular Muster and Inspection of Co. D, 2nd Infantry, O. N. G., by Brig. Gen. Chas. F. Beebe and Staff, was held at the Armory in Granite Hall last Saturday evening. The Inspection was a close one, and Gen. Beebe expressed himself as highly pleased with the general appearance and efficiency of the Company.

Out of the whole Company of fifty-six members, there were but two names called to which there was no response.