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EDITORIAL.

If there 's a hole in a' your coats,
I rede ye tent it;
A chiel 's amang ye takin' notes,
And faith he 'll prent it.

—BURNS.

Owing to an oversight on the part of the proof reader, we omitted to give the Daily Telegram, of Portland, credit for the article entitled, "Killed his Father," on first page. The article belongs to them.

From the amount for which the contract for Ashland-Klamath Falls mail service has been let, it is evident that instead of a stage service, the mail will be carried by carrier on horse back. Very little benefit indeed will Ashland and the valley in general derive from such a service.

Last week's issue of the Weekly Times, of Portland, says: "The Newsboy, of Portland, and the ADVERTISER, of Ashland, Ore., are spatting over nothing. Hope they both come out ahead."

From this, we infer that the Newsboy has published something smart(?)—or what its conceited editor thought as such. This must be the case, as we have not received a copy of that sheet since our challenge. "Spatting" is out of the question. We challenged the Newsboy and expected its publisher to meet the challenge as a man and not publish articles that he was afraid or ashamed to have us see.

We challenge the Newsboy again and are ready to refer the matter to any competent and disinterested person or persons for settlement.

Come, Mr. Cohen, be a man. Either prove your assertion or acknowledge our superiority.

Central Point Pointers.

A. S. Jacobs made a business trip to Jacksonville Monday.

Miss Martha Cardwell, the ex-post mistress, contemplates teaching school in the near future.

Rev. Blackwell, pastor of the M. E. Church, has been holding a series of meetings in Gold Hill.

Samuel Baer, brother of Noah Baer, of this place, arrived here last Wednesday from Seattle, Washington.

Bert Newton is still suffering with rheumatism, it being necessary to remove him to his father's residence.

James Fredenburg has sold his town property to Mr. Hickie, repairer of watches, clocks, etc. Consideration, \$400.

Education begins the gentleman, but reading, good company and reflection must finish him. He can never be good to himself who speaks evil of others upon mere suspicion.

Just here, the words of Rev. Pley, Methodist, on dancing with reference to the Christian people, might not be out of place. He says: "The churches that are the most aggressive and successful are those most opposed to dancing. The dance will never influence anyone for good and the ball room is no place for the Christian. Every Christian should discountenance the dance in every form." "M."

Normal School Notes.

The semi-annual examinations will commence next week.

Mrs. Foster, of Medford, was up Monday and Tuesday visiting her daughter, Maysie.

Mert Sill went home Saturday on account of her father having been hurt in the mines.

There will be a lecture in the chapel Sunday, February 2. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Prof. Berry has the "pink eye" and Mr. Percy Wells has charge of his room this week. Miss Gertrude Sutton hears the recitations of the Senior geometry class.

The pupils are now taken to and from school in a bus which holds about thirty of them. Four horses are used to draw it. Mr. Percy Newton is the owner and driver. At first sight, some thought that the ark had been resurrected.

Last night, another challenge was received from the Eagle Point foot ball team to play a match game. The challenging team agrees to furnish \$25 dollars if the Normal team will pay the remainder of the expenses. If played, the game will probably take place at Central Point.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Ashland, Oregon, Post Office, January 27, 1896:

Brown, Clara, Reille, Jno.,
Swell, J. H., Walker, N. A.

Persons calling for same will please say "advertised."

W. H. BRUNK, P. M.

LOCAL SQUIBS.

Fish every Friday at Poley & Griswold's.

Last Thursday, all grades of sugars took a rise in price.

Benj. Eggleston shipped a car-load of apples to San Francisco last Thursday.

For manzanita work, call at Sherwin's Pharmacy.

The Ashland House is now undergoing a thorough renovation in the hand of its new proprietor, Mr. F. M. Stevenson.

It pays to advertise in the right journal; this paper is the one. Try it!

The City Council has instructed the Water Commissioner to collect from Virgin & Co., after the first of February, water rent on twenty horse power at the rate of \$1.50 per horse power per month.

If you don't read the ADVERTISER, you don't get half the news. Subscribe.

The Ashland Flouring Mill is kept busy filling orders for their flour. Saturday's mail brought six inquiries for prices on car lots.

Remember us for Job Printing.

"Mother Hubbard Ball" in Granite Hall Friday evening, February 21, by Company D, 2d Infantry, O. N. G.

Why pay two dollars a year for your local news when you can get the same news a whole day earlier for only fifty cents a year. Economize by subscribing for the ADVERTISER.

DIED.—At his home in Ashland, Friday, January 24, 1896, William Hurst, aged 75 years, 10 months and 15 days.

Leave your orders for rye flour at the Depot Grocery.

Two rows of shade trees will be planted along the front walk of the High School building.

Go to Klum & Crisler, Central Market, for clean, pure pork made entirely on cooked feed.

See Emil Peil about repairing that wagon.

The contract to carry the mail from Ashland to Klamath Falls and return, seven times a week, to commence May first next, has been let to S. G. Proffit, of Floyd, Virginia, for \$2640 per year.

The Shake mail service will be cancelled April 30.

Emil Peil, doctor of sick plows, etc.

The price of flour has advanced one dollar per thousand pounds: bran and mill feed have advanced one dollar per ton.

Mrs. W. P. Parsons has opened up a Bakery Restaurant in the "Blue Front." Being experienced in the restaurant business, she is prepared to administer to the wants of the hungry public in first class style. She has a new ad. on third page. Read it.

Since our enlargement the first of the year, we have received a great many letters from leading amateurs all over the Union complimenting us on our fine paper and the justification of our assertion, Monarch of the Amateurs. Did space permit, we would publish some of them.