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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.

We have a special treat for our readers next issue in the shape of a poetical supplement. The poetry is of local production and of a high order. Be sure to get the supplement with next week's issue.

To-day is "April Fools' Day"—the day that the small boy roguishly informeth the grave politician that the wheels in his head have ceased to go 'round; the small boy is not so badly mistaken as is generally construed.

The barbers of Ashland may be disappointed in securing the passage of a city ordinance to close their shops on Sunday, as such an ordinance would be in direct adversity with the state provision in such cases. If the local barbers wish to close their shops on Sunday, they might accomplish the same object by an agreement among themselves.

If those of our readers who wish to see a cut of our press will just hold the 4th page of this issue to a strong light—a bright lamp-light will afford a good revealing power as anything—and look for the water mark about the middle of the page, they may be gratified. Owing to no fault of ours, the illustration is not an exact reproduction of our machine.

THE MOON DID IT ALL.

Got Full Out of Season and Broke up Church Calculations.

TACOMA, WN., March 29.—It was Easter Sunday to-day on the Pacific Slope, although probably not more than half a dozen people knew it. Those who did know it are ambitious astronomers and mathematicians. They find that the first full moon after the spring equinox put in an appearance on this coast shortly after 10 o'clock last night, and it is a fact that the first Sunday after the first full moon after the spring equinox is Easter Sunday the world over. But in this peculiar case, said to be the first instance of the kind since the beginning of the Christian era, only this part of the Pacific Slope has its Easter Sunday a week in advance of the rest of the world. When the moon filled Saturday night reckoning by Pacific Coast time, it was already Sunday in New York and London. Consequently for the East and the balance of the world, excepting the Pacific Coast, the first Sunday after the first full moon after the spring equinox does not arrive until next Sunday.—San Francisco Examiner.

Central Point Pointers.

Rev. Faxon will occupy the pulpit in Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Heilen Little has accepted a position to teach the school at Big Butte in the Obenchain district.

The protractive meeting in the M. E. church is still going on and quite an interest is being taken in it.

Miss Maud Downing, of this place, has been engaged to teach in the Me-Kee district, north of Big Butte.

Prof. Barnard, accompanied by his wife, nee Mrs. Nichols, the photographer, left Monday for his school in the Edmondson district on Big Butte taken by Mr. Cornutt, of this place.

Mr. Edward Owens, who suffered an attack of paralysis some time ago, is no better, and will probably not recover, his tongue being so paralyzed as to prevent his taking anything to sustain life.
"M."

Normal School Notes.

Mr. Dement and Lester Newton went to Central Point Friday.

Miss Alma Johnson, of Bandon, Coos county, will enter the Commercial department at beginning of the new term.

Miss Josie Hancock, one of the music pupils, returned to her home at River-ton Friday. She will come back in Sept.

Miss Julia Rodschon, of Medford, an advanced Junior, went home Saturday. She will return next year and finish the course.

The averages of the Senior class have been made out and all are good. The ten having the highest are Mable Reid, Lincoln Savage, Anna Nelson, Rosa Dodge, Theresa Bryant, Patia Klum, Gertie Sutton, Walker Peed, Effie Armitage and Susie Homes. The Salutatorian and the Valedictorian will not be chosen until after the examinations in Astronomy, Geometry and Book-keeping.

R. E. PORTER.

LOCAL SQUIBS.

Emil Peil, doctor of sick plows, etc.

This is the day that one must keep a sharp look-out, lest he betrays to other people how large a fool he actually is.

Virgin's Granulated Patent Flour—seldom equalled; never excelled.

The ladies of the Congregational church will give a social May 1st. Don't fail to attend. An unusually good time.

White labor only at the Ashland Steam Laundry.

Work has been begun on the bicycle track from the Congregational church to the Normal school.

Millfeed \$12.50 per ton, wholesale; \$14.00 per ton, retail, at Ashland Mills.

T. H. Simpson is agent for the "Crawford '96" bicycle. Take a look at the wheel.

Hard wood for sale. Leave orders at the ADVERTISER office.

The severe freeze Monday night was death to the peach crop about Ashland, very few peaches escaping. The thermometer registered nine degrees below freezing.

FOR SALE.—Coal, in any quantity.

Emil Peil, Blacksmith.

Remember us for JOB PRINTING.

For quick, first-class service, go to the Ashland Steam Laundry. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mail orders solicited.

"District Skewl" in Ganiard's Opera House next Friday night. Don't miss it! The most laughable thing out! Admission, 20 cents; children 10 cents; reserved seats 25 cents.

Plain washing 25 cents per dozen at the Ashland Steam Laundry.

The City Council met last Saturday night to take action on reducing the expenses of the city. The electric light question was discussed, but, arriving at no conclusion, the Council adjourned to meet to-night, Wednesday, April 1.

SPRAYING.—M. Crisler & C. Lindsey have purchased a large spraying outfit and are prepared to do custom work on short notice.

Spring, summer, autumn, winter, all seasons of the year crowded successively into one brief month. Such is the weather enjoyed(?) by the people of Southern Oregon—but such is life in the "far west," where a man is a Republican or a Populist, accordingly as it benefits his business or increases his chances of obtaining an office.

Fish every Friday at Poley & Griswold's.

Don't forget to call around when you want anything in the Job Printing line. We turn out, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, the best work in the city at the lowest price.

Last Saturday Marshal Jones arrested a man giving his name as Wm. Murray, for peddling spectacles unlicensed. The peddler was up before Recorder Berry Monday morning and was fined \$5, including costs. Being without "the wherewith," he was ordered to work out the amount on the streets. Later, he was allowed to sell some of his goods to obtain money to take out a license.