

LOCAL NOTES

Jas. Cochet was a Medford visitor last Thursday.

C. L. Reames and wife visited last Sunday at Ashland.

Attorney Gus Newbury visited in Medford last Thursday.

Regular preaching services at the M. E. church at 7:30 p. m. Sunday.

John Harrington and wife of Medford visited friends in this city last Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Kenney went to Roseburg last Sunday to visit with relatives and friends.

Jas. Fitzgibbons and wife were in Jacksonville the first of the week on a brief visit.

Mrs. Frank Haskius and Miss Haskins of Medford visited friends in this city last Thursday.

S. L. Whaley and Chas. P. Heurnee of Los Angeles were in this city this week looking for a placer mine.

Misses Esther Merritt and Pearl Ross visited with Mrs. Kate Hoffman and Miss Issie McCully in this city this week.

S. P. Jones has been suffering considerably with Bright's disease the past few days, but is somewhat improved at this time.

Mrs. Wm. Nickell and Mrs. W. Moore of Port Arthur, Texas, visited last Tuesday with Mrs. Lewis Ulrich in this city.

County Clerk W. R. Coleman accompanied Sheriff Jackson to Salem last Thursday, when C. P. Kiso was taken to the penitentiary.

Frank Coley has closed the doors of the hotel at Eileen owing to a lack of business, and will take charge of the hotel at Joe Bar.

The office of the Post will be removed next week to the Kahler brick building on Third street, recently purchased by Charles F. Dunford.

Ezra Arnold, who came down from Watkins the first of the week on a business visit, states that he is soon to take charge of the cook house at Seattle Bar.

Our reporter was in error last week when it was stated that Schulz brothers had purchased Wm. Puhl's interest in the store at this place. Mr. Puhl still retains his interests here.

A. Andrews of Jacksonville, who owns and operates a fruit ranch, was in Medford Wednesday delivering some fine pears. Mr. Andrews says this year's crop is the best he ever raised.—Tribune.

Miss Rose Buckley, one of Jackson county's most charming and popular young ladies, who has been spending several months in the Klamath Falls country, returned to Jacksonville last Wednesday evening.

A. T. Lundgreen, the estimable miner, came down from the Blue last Wednesday suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism. Should he not be able to secure relief here he will go to some hot springs shortly.

Architect J. A. McIntosh was up from Medford on a brief visit Thursday evening. Mr. McIntosh states that he has more business now-a-days than he can attend to. He drew the excellent plans for the Jacksonville High School building.

H. N. Hawk, who has been suffering for some time with both kidney and stomach trouble, expects soon to leave for St. Vincent's hospital. Mr. Hawk has been a sufferer for years and as he grows older he finds his maladies grow more serious. His friends hope for his early recovery.

Miss Marian Towne visited in Ashland last Sunday.

Gus Newbury attended the Irrigation Congress at Grants Pass this week.

Mrs. J. G. Cochet and Miss Josephine Orth visited in Phoenix the first of the week.

Mayor Britt and Postmaster Miller visited in the Blue Ledge country last Saturday and Sunday.

T. Cameron returned Thursday from a visit at Grants Pass where he attended the Fair and Irrigation Convention.

Mrs. L. J. Gay has returned to her home in Seattle after spending a couple of weeks at the home of her father, D. Linn.

Miss Katharine Chapman, the pleasant and efficient milliner, who has been spending a couple of months' vacation with her mother on Williams creek, has returned to Jacksonville.

Miss Lottie Reed, one of the teachers in the public schools of Portland, has returned to that city after visiting for a short time with her parents in this city, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Reed.

The poles for the Medford-Blue Ledge Telephone company have been set to Jacksonville and it is expected that the wiring will have been completed to this point within a day or two. From here the wires will be attached to the Sunset poles to Medford.

Charles Shultz, who has been ill for so long, returned from Ashland last Tuesday, where he has been an inmate of the Ashland sanitarium. Although Mr. Shultz's health is still greatly impaired, he is considerably improved, and his many friends sincerely hope he will soon regain his former good health.

Mrs. Ed. Binns and daughter, Freda, and Misses Josephine and Edith Hoefs left last Tuesday for Newport where they will remain for some time. Mrs. Binns' health is not what it ought to be and it is hoped that the sea breezes will help to improve her physical condition. Ed. Binns accompanied them as far as Medford.

Dave Thompson and Joe Wetterer went fishing over on Applegate this week. They claim that they caught the biggest salmon ever yet landed in the county. They got it out on the bank and Joe went after a shot gun while Dave guarded it. Joe returned and shot at the salmon and missed, when the monster fish became so disgusted it just naturally turned around and jumped back into the river. It hasn't been seen since.

The baseball game last Sunday between the two local teams was very interesting. Dick Gaskin was in the box for the "Old Reliabilities" and did some fine work. But without "Chuck" Wilcox the boys found themselves unable to handle the "Cubs," so they lost out by a score of 4 to 6. Everybody who attended the game is praising Fletcher Stout, who played the game like a Leaguer. The Grants Pass team failed to show up because their pitcher, Cal Allen, had one of his fingers broken last Friday.

Clay Thompson, accompanied by Mrs. Ed. Russell and children, had a narrow escape from serious injury and perhaps death on the saw mill road last Wednesday evening. While coming along the grade one of the horses began kicking, supposedly from the sting of a bee or hornet. This so frightened the other horse that it also began to kick. Mrs. Russell leaped out and got her children out of the way, while Clay got out and managed to get the horses partly unhitched, but they were so thoroughly frightened that they broke away from him and fell over the 15 or 20-foot embankment. No serious injury resulted, although the horses were badly bruised. The hack was left in the road.

Correct clothes for gentlemen at the Toggery, Medford.

Chris J. Kenney has gone east on an extended visit, leaving last Sunday morning.

City Recorder Eggleston of Ashland was a business visitor in this city last Monday.

Miss Bertha Allen of Salem is the guest of Misses Lelah and Bertha Prim this week.

"Mac" Johnson has moved his family into the P. J. Ryan house on the Valley road.

Jesse Applegate was down from the Applegate mine on Elk creek the first of the week.

Augustine Smedling came down from Portland the first of the week and is visiting with his many friends in Jacksonville.

Mrs. C. W. Conklin and Miss Molly Britt attended the Irrigation Convention and Industrial Fair at Grants Pass the first of the week.

William Johnson, the ever progressive and up-to-date rancher of the Humbug district, visited his mother, Mrs. A. P. Hines, in this city the first of the week.

It is reported that the Medford-Blue Ledge Telephone company set some of their poles in the road, south of town. The matter will be taken up by the County Court.

Sheriff D. H. Jackson returned last Monday from Salem where he took Omer Milligan of Medford to the State Reform School. The charge against the young man was rape, committed in Medford.

S. P. DeRoboam and wife accompanied Mrs. Jos. Watts and children to Ashland last Sunday from whence Mrs. Watts left for her home at Anderson, Cal. Mr. and Mrs. DeRoboam returned home Sunday evening.

The Uncle Tom's Cabin company's tent was filled up last Tuesday night with Jacksonville people who attended to hear a "high-class-first-class" performance, but failed. There was probably 500 people present and 475 of them left the tent in disgust. Those who had nothing to say about the show were babies who had not yet learned to talk.

Harold Kubli, son of Representative Henry Kubli, was brought in from Applegate last Monday suffering from a fractured nose, the result of a kick from a horse. He walked into the barn and touched the animal so it would step to the opposite side of the stall, when it became frightened and kicked, one hoof striking him on the bridge of the nose. Dr. Robinson dressed the wound, and it is thought the injured boy will soon be as well as ever. However, the doctor states a wound of this kind is hard to fathom at first and might affect the brain, so that vigilance is essential in the care of the boy.

School will begin next Monday, Sept. 16. The lower floor of the Britt Brewery building was fitted up this week to accommodate two grades, but we are informed that one school room is still lacking, as the school board was unable to secure the basement of the Presbyterian church this year. There are no vacant rooms in town large enough to accommodate two grades and the board does not know which way to turn now. The teachers are J. Percy Wells, principal; Earl B. Moore, vice principal; Miss Josephine Donegan, fifth and sixth grades; Miss Lelah Prim, third and fourth grades; Mrs. Mary Peter, primary grade. There are eleven grades this year, and another teacher was, of course, necessary. The new school building will not be completed until sometime in December and will not be ready for occupancy before the first of the year. LATER—Another room in the Britt brewery building has been fitted up to accommodate two more grades.

Chicken supper next Tuesday night at the M. E. church.

C. W. Conklin, the "furniture man" visited in Medford last Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Long of Yoncalla is visiting at the home of her brother, P. Applegate.

Mrs. A. E. Reames went to Grants Pass last Wednesday to attend the Industrial Fair.

T. J. Williamson, the energetic fruit raiser, of Central Point, visited in Jacksonville this week.

"In the good old summer time" is the greatest danger of fire. See Daily & Briggs for Fire Insurance.

Miss Daisy Wetterer returned the first of the week from Ashland where she has been visiting Miss Lena Biede.

The Jacksonville "Cubs" will play the Palmer creek team next Sunday at Palmer creek. There will be "nothing doing" here.

Miss Daisy Huffer, who has been acting as a nurse in Glendale for several weeks past, returned to Jacksonville last Thursday.

George R. Carter, the pleasant and well-liked ex-deputy sheriff, was over from Ashland the first of the week on a brief business visit.

J. Percy Wells, principal of the High School for the coming year, came down from Ashland yesterday, and will take up his permanent residence here.

The candy booth will be an additional attraction at the chicken pie supper. Be sure to favor the young ladies with your patronage. It will be appreciated.

Mrs. H. C. Stock and daughter, Miss Lena Biede, of Ashland passed through Jacksonville last Saturday on their way to Poorman's creek where they visited friends.

Ivan E. Guthrie, a native of Jacksonville, was drowned in the Willamette river near Independence last Sunday. He was 28 years old and leaves a widow and one child.

A special meeting of the Common Council of Jacksonville was held Thursday night for the purpose of reading and passing the ordinance to amend the town charter. No other business was transacted.

The Ladies Aid Society will give a chicken pie supper at the M. E. church, Tuesday evening, Sept. 17. This being the first entertainment of the kind this season, it will doubtless be well patronized. The first table will be served at 5 o'clock. The young folks are anticipating the social evening that will follow.

Sheriff Jackson returned from Agate last Thursday with Jack Montgomery. Montgomery had, it is charged in the complaint, maliciously cut a large irrigation ditch, thereby destroying the banks of said ditch and wasting valuable water. There are two or three other indictments against him, but he had been allowed by the judge, at a former term of court, to go on probation.

Those who have returned from the Fair at Grants Pass state that it was an unqualified success from beginning to end; that the industrial displays were of the finest; that the fair was conducted in an excellent manner; and, in fact, was the best convention of any kind ever held in Southern Oregon. They also state that Jackson county contributed nothing toward making the fair a success and that the number who attended from this county would total about 15. The only display from this county were some sketches from nature by Miss Dorland Robinson of this city and a couple of boxes of apples from J. A. Perry at Medford. This is a burning shame. The people of this great county should "take a tumble to themselves," and awake to their own interests.