

SUPPLEMENT.

Over the Mountains Afoot.

[Ashland Tidings, April 25th.]

Messrs. W. B. Grubb and H. F. Spencer came in from Klamath county about this week over the Linkville road, and G. W. Bailey, of Shake, came with them from his place. They made the trip in two days—pretty good walking time over the mountains. They report the snow still four feet deep along the road in places at the high altitudes. Flour is scarce out in Klamath county, selling at \$4 per hundred pounds when it can be had at all, and some people are grinding wheat in coffee mills to make bread with, but it is expected freight teams will be able to do some hauling from Montague by the Klamath river road soon. The snow is out of the way on the road, but the mucky places make it impossible for heavy freight wagons to get through. If the mails had been going over the old Ashland-Linkville road, the road would have been quite open through the winter and there would have been no difficulty in hauling flour and other things by wagon and sled during the winter and early spring. The road could have been kept open well enough, and the snow would have been packed so that wagons could make the trip now. The streams everywhere on both the Klamath and Rogue river slopes of the Cascades are high now, and will be till the deep snows on the mountains have melted. Plenty of fish are running up the streams on the Klamath side, but the water is so high that only a few are being caught.

Work in the Cow Creek Canyon.

The forces at work in Cow creek canyon received orders one day last week to do no more grading until they received further orders, but to confine their work to repairing the old road bed. President Huntington of the S. P. Co., and other officials with him, and R. Koehler, manager of the S. P. lines in Oregon, were to make a personal inspection of the route through the canyon and the damages done the road, and are to come to some agreement as to what permanent plan will be adopted.

The new track that was built around the immense slide of February is only a temporary one, and the grades and curves too heavy for permanent use, so it is expected that as soon as the railroad officials make their inspection and decide on what will be done, engineers will be set to work. At least three miles of new road will have to be constructed and possibly more. The water in the lake formed by the big slide is still about seventy-five feet deep and does not recede.

Geo. W. Riddle, of Riddle's station in Douglas county, is one of the old residents of Southern Oregon who have faith in the bright future of the country as a great fruit exporting region. He already has 120 acres of his fine ranch planted in fruit trees, and will keep on planting until, by this time next year, his orchard will cover two hundred acres. His trees are mostly pines and pears, and the most of his pear trees are of the Winter Nellis variety. Mr. Riddle has a large farm and stock ranch, but he believes fruit growing is the best avenue to big profits.

Business Change.

I hereby notify the public that I have purchased the stock and business of Sloan's livery stables and shall continue the business at the old stands. I shall keep good rigs and horses and will guarantee to give the public entire satisfaction. The old customers and new ones are respectfully requested to call on me when anything in the livery business is needed.

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