

RELIGIOUS DIRECTORY.

M. E. CHURCH.—Religious services every Sunday, at the usual hour, by Rev. Father Williams, alternately.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Divine Services every Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

TO REORGANIZE.—Oregon Division No. 1, Sons and Daughters of Temperance, will be reorganized next Friday evening, November 26th.

THANKSGIVING DAY.—Next Thursday, the 25th inst., is Thanksgiving Day, and we suppose appropriate services will be held at the various churches, and the turkey population doubtless decreased considerably.

LUNATIC ESCAPED.—S. B. Starr, the insane man sent to the Asylum last week in charge of John Pearson, made his escape from the Roseburg jail, in which he had been placed for safe-keeping. At last accounts, he was still at large.

ELECTION RETURNS.—We learn from reliable sources that the official count of Lake county gives Lane 73 plurality. Curry is reported to have given Warren thirteen plurality, his vote standing 75 to Lane's 62, with a few scattering votes.

STILL ON TRIAL.—The case of the State vs. David Briggs, indicted for murder, is still on trial, although nearly completed. The examination of witnesses was still progressing when we went to press yesterday evening. It is expected to get through with the case and submit it to the jury to-day or to-morrow.

ONE MORE UNFORTUNATE.—Dudley Hillery, of Applegate, was examined before Judge Watson by Dr. Callender on Tuesday last, and pronounced insane. He was so violent that it was deemed necessary to put a straight-jacket on him. Dr. Jackson and Alvin Cardwell took him to the Asylum on Wednesday.

SURVEYING.—James S. Howard has received the appointment of U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor for Jackson, Josephine and Curry counties, and is prepared to do everything in his line in the best manner and at reasonable rates. Official surveys made and patents secured. Mr. Howard is an adept in his profession, and those desiring anything done in surveying will do well to give him a trial. See his card.

DISTRICT SCHOOL.—The attendance at the Jacksonville District School now numbers about 120, and the increase is so great that several children have been unable to receive admittance, owing to the already crowded condition of both departments of the school. A new building is now being built in the lot owned by Geo. Brown and situated near the school house, which will, when finished, be used for the accommodation of another department of the school. We learn that Mrs. Shipley has been engaged to teach it.

PERSONAL.—Hon. L. F. Lane, our Congressman-elect, is expected to pass through here ere long, on his way to take his seat in Congress, which meets early next month.

Sheriff Green, of Josephine, who has been in attendance on the Circuit Court as a witness in the Briggs case, returned home yesterday. George Nourse and lady, of Linkville, have been in town during the past week. Messrs. Chas. Hughes and J. B. Sifers, of Kerbyville, are in town.

THE LEWIS BROTHERS.—This excellent troupe performed at Veit's Hall on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, a large attendance being present on each occasion. The entertainments comprised mesmerism, jugglery, etc., which were as wonderful as they were interesting. The feats of mesmerism and jugglery are especially worthy of mention, the equal of which has never been witnessed in this section, and we may say the Coast. Several different persons were mesmerized in turn, and at the will of the mesmerist went through various maneuvers while in this state, illustrating a person having the delirium tremens, being in a trance, etc., to the merriment and edification of the audience. Almost everything the troupe introduced was new here, and general satisfaction was given. They leave for the North to-day.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Plenty of rain and water. Circuit Court slowly grinding. Thanksgiving next Thursday.

Is Jackson county going to do anything for the Centennial? County warrants always taken at par on amounts due the TIMES office.

The stages are very irregular, arriving semi-occasionally at present. The Grand Jury adjourned on the 11th, after being in session four days.

Wm. H. Shook, formerly connected with the TIMES office, is now employed on the Pacific Baptist, published at San Francisco.

Ducks are numerous on the various sloughs and streams, while geese are becoming so. Everybody who can muster a shot-gun goes hunting now-a-days.

Snow has fallen on different occasions during the past week, but soon disappeared. Considerable has made its appearance on the various hills, however.

Several heavy winds have prevailed during the past week. One last Tuesday was so severe as to tear some shingles off the roof of the Masonic building.

Daniel Clark, Master of the State Grange, passed through town the other day, bound for the National Grange, which meets at Louisville, Kentucky, in a few weeks.

The farmers are praying for a cessation of the rain, while miners supplicate for its continuance. From present appearances, the weather clerk favors the latter.

J. E. Beggs arrived from Roseburg last week with freight. He also brought a beautiful tombstone designed for the grave of the deceased wife of Judge Watson.

Those indebted to the TIMES office will oblige us by calling and settling immediately. Our Winter's stock of goods has arrived, and we need the money to pay for it.

Some of the cross-walks in town are in a rather dilapidated condition, and should receive the early attention of the proper authorities, as some of them are almost impassable from mud.

We learn that the proprietors of the cinnabar ledge on Little Applegate have burned a kiln of 20,000 brick, to be used in the erection of a furnace for retorting the ore, which is said to be of good quality.

Miss Ella Cranston, daughter of Warren Cranston, of Marion county, and niece of S. B. Cranston, of Lake county, died of consumption at the Klamath Agency on the 26th ult., aged about twenty years.

The price of Cedarville (Modoc county) flour at Dorris Bridge, the capital of that county, is \$5.75 per hundred pounds, while Ashland flour, which is hauled a distance of 150 miles, sells for \$4 per hundred.

It is our desire to give in the local columns of TIMES the every item of interest which transpires in the county. In order that we may do this, we request our friends to post us as to everything of any general importance which may come to their knowledge.

PLACER MINING.—The rains have furnished a large surplus of water for mining purposes. Water is abundant everywhere now, and the prospects are favorable that it will continue so for the Winter at least. The miners are busy preparing work, while some are already taking out the precious metal. It seems highly probable that the present season will be a golden one compared to many previous ones. There are still plenty of good placer diggings; but for some seasons past there has been such a dearth of water that they have not been worked to much profit, while some have been neglected altogether. Chinese have also come in possession of many. Yet there is a large number still owned by white persons, who expect to do good work this season. With plenty of water, the tightness of the money market will be greatly alleviated and coin more plentiful.

GRAND JURY REPORT.—The following is a synopsis of the business transacted by the Grand Jury empaneled for the November term of the Circuit Court:

State of Oregon vs. Andrew Casey; larceny in a dwelling house. A true bill found. State vs. Robt. Brown; larceny of a horse. A true bill found. State vs. Chas. Parker; larceny of a horse. Not a true bill.

T. F. BEALL, Foreman. W. A. JOHNSON, Clerk.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The following proceedings have occurred in the Circuit Court since our last report:

THURSDAY, NOV. 11th. The Grand Jury heretofore empaneled, through their foreman, returned into Court not a true bill in the case of Chas. Parker, charged with larceny.

The Grand Jury also made the following report in relation to the public buildings and affairs of the county, to-wit:

"We, the Grand Jury, have examined the County Jail and found it in good condition, and prisoners in as good condition as circumstances will permit. Found the Court House unfit to be used as such, the roof being leaky and in bad condition. Examined the Clerk's office, and found the books in good condition, and also found the Sheriff's office satisfactory.

T. F. BEALL, Foreman." Report received by the Court and ordered placed on file.

The Grand Jury was discharged by order of the Court.

It was ordered that all Jurors summoned to complete the panel in the case of State vs. David Briggs and not accepted be discharged.

FRIDAY, NOV. 12th. State vs. Robt. Brown; indictment for larceny. Defendant arraigned and pleads not guilty to indictment.

State vs. Chas. Parker; held to answer for larceny in Justice's Court. Motion by defendant's counsel that bail of said defendant be exonerated and released was granted.

State vs. David Briggs; indictment for murder. Case still on trial.

FURTHER reports from the loss of the steamer Pacific confirm the first news of the disaster, only making it more appalling, if that were possible. Besides Hon. George T. Vining, various other persons well known in this section were lost, among whom we may mention Mr. Miller, traveling agent of Redington, Hostetter & Co., wholesale druggists, San Francisco; the Rockwell & Hulbert troupe, which performed here last July, together with their trained horses. This company was on its return to the States, after a successful tour through Oregon; C. B. Fairbanks, who lectured on phrenology in this place several weeks ago. Mr. Vining's body was recovered and interred at Steilacoom last week. This calamity is among the most terrible that ever occurred on the Coast, and many a valuable life was lost by it.

In Memoriam.

HALL OF RUTH REBEKAH DEGREE LODGE No. 4, I. O. O. F., Jacksonville, Oct. 30th. WHEREAS, It has pleased God, in his wisdom, to remove from our midst by death our brother, John Neuber; therefore, be it Resolved, That while we bow in humble obedience to his divine will, we offer to his bereaved widow and fatherless children our heartfelt sympathy in their great affliction, and would solicit in their behalf the protection of the Grand Master above, who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our Lodge; that a copy be furnished to each of our town papers for publication and also to the family of our deceased brother, and that the charter be draped and the members wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

LOUISE SAVAGE, MARY MILLER, ELLEN KUBLI, FRANCES LUY, Committee.

NEWS TO US.—The following from the Yreka Union is an illustration of the saying of "going from home to get the news," though in this instance the item is a mistake throughout:

We understand that a match race has been made between E. Flitner's mare Queen of Hearts and Wm. Ish's mare Snip. They ran a race at the Jacksonville Fair, when Queen of Hearts won. The race, we understand, is to be \$200 a side, and will be run over the Jacksonville course.

In the first place, Snip is not a mare and not owned by Wm. Ish. Some talk may have been indulged in concerning a match race between Snip, Queen of Hearts and Elizabeth Tilton, but nothing definite has been done towards bringing any of these horses together.

HEBER GROVE DISTRICT SCHOOL.—This school, under the efficient management of F. W. Ewing, assisted by Miss Lizzie Bridgman, recently from the States, is in a flourishing condition, and now has an attendance of about seventy-five pupils. The patrons of this school deserve credit for the interest they take in it. Some time since they erected a neat and commodious school house, costing \$1,500, and have recently levied a tax of \$300 to furnish it with improved furniture and fixtures. It is one of the best schools in the county.

EXPORTATION OF PRODUCE.—

Jack-son county exports a large amount of flour, grain and produce to the adjoining counties of Oregon and California, and thus the greater portion of our surplus is at present consumed and the money brought into the county. By the following, taken from a correspondence of the Yreka Union, dated Lake City, Modoc county, Cal., November 1st, it will be seen that another section is taking advantage of the cheapness and excellence of our products, and importing a considerable quantity of them:

"The grain crops this fall in Modoc county were a partial failure, and did not turn out as well as many anticipated. I do not believe that a sufficient amount of the cereals—wheat, oats and barley, were grown to furnish the desired amount of seed that will be used for next spring's sowing. Wheat, barley and oats are now selling readily at two cents per pound. Corn meal is worth six dollars per hundred. Flour five dollars per hundred. Owing to the scarcity of provisions, some twenty-five wagons went to Jacksonville, Oregon, this fall for flour and apples, and I presume about one hundred wagons in all from various parts of Modoc county imported bread stuff and produce for home consumption."

HIGH WATERS.—The rains prevailing have raised the streams higher than they have been for several years. The bridge crossing Jackson creek, near the residence of Squire Hoffman, was in danger of being floated away Sunday morning last, but considerable labor expended on it since has made it comparatively secure. Damage has also been threatened to several residences lying near this creek and Rich Gulch, although little has been done as yet. Precautions are being taken against further danger, and in the event of a raise in the water hereafter, less injury will probably result therefrom. The streams in different portions of this and Josephine counties are also rather high, delaying travel considerably. In Douglas county, the bridge across the South Umpqua was almost destroyed, but is secure again. The water has receded, however, although, from present appearances, the prospects are favorable for their becoming higher than ever.

ST. NICHOLAS FOR NOVEMBER.—St. Nicholas begins its third volume with a telling number—fresh, varied, healthy. It contains some twenty-five interesting contributions; it gives us articles from more than a dozen of the best writers in the country. In the excellence and variety of its contents, as a single number it could hardly be surpassed. It crowds a strong story by one writer with an instructive sketch or dainty poem by another. The artistic merit of the number is equal to its literary, and the illustrations generally are very beautiful. Altogether, the November number of St. Nicholas is one of the very best issues of this unequalled magazine for children.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF JOSEPHINE.—We are indebted to Charles Hughes, Esq., the efficient County Clerk, for the following official vote of Josephine county:

Table with 4 columns: Precincts, Lane, Warren, Whitney. Rows include Kerbyville, Waldo, Williamsburg, Althouse, Galice Creek, Slate Creek.

Dimick received one vote in the county. Lane's majority over all, 26; over Warren, 38.

Two precincts, Leland and Vannoy's, opened no polls.

AT WORK.—Jay G. Kelley, Superintendent of the Portland company's mill on Althouse, Josephine county, was in town last week. He reports the mill as being finished and in excellent running order. Rock worked once by the former owners of the ledge has been run over again and yielded \$20 to the ton. The company is making preparations to prosecute work on an extensive scale. It is also interested with E. C. Brooks in placer mines on Footh Creek, which have been placed in condition for active operations.

GEO. GROTY'S, AT KERBYVILLE.—Don't fail to read the poetry published elsewhere and composed by George Groty himself, in which he discourses on the ware he keeps. As told by the poem, George has constantly on hand a first-class supply of wines, liquors and cigars, and he invites everybody to favor him with a call.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rulofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world. 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

FOR SALE.—

Those desiring a first-class sewing-machine, brand new, at less than first cost, can be accommodated by calling on E. C. Brooks and examining one of the celebrated Wilcox & Gibbs' machines.

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BORN.

McANDREWS—On Bear Creek, October 30th, to the wife of Thos. McAndrews, a son—12-pounder.

WIMER—On Murphy creek, Josephine county, November 11th, to the wife of G. W. Wimer, a son, weighing 12 1/2 pounds.

DIED.

JONES—Near Jacksonville, on the 14th, of pneumonia, George W. Jones, Jr., late of Polk county, aged 25 years, 1 month and 29 days.

NEW, THIS WEEK.

GEO. GROTY'S, AT KERBYVILLE. There is a town called Kerbyville, and it is very handy; George Groty keeps there on the square and sells good whisky and brandy.

One bit a drink is all he takes For whisky and good brandy; He says it cures the rheumatism— Oh I ain't it very handy.

Go all you folks, refresh yourselves On whisky, beer and wine; And if you have not got a bit, George he will take a dime.

He sells the very best cigars The market can afford; One bit apiece is all he charges, For less he can't afford.

He was a miner over thirty years, Drank whisky and drank brandy, He says it cures the rheumatism— Oh I ain't it very handy.

JAMES S. HOWARD, U. S. DEPUTY MINERAL SURVEYOR FOR JACKSON, Josephine and Curry counties, Oregon. Official surveys made and patents obtained at reasonable rates. Full copies of Mining Laws and Decisions at my office in Jacksonville, Oregon.



THE HUMAN TELEGRAPH.—The nerves are telegraphic fibres operated by the brain; but if the stomach, the great vitalizer of the system, is disordered, the whole nervous organization is partially shattered for the being.

Tarrant's Seltzer Aperient works wonders in cases of nervous debility arising from dyspepsia, by restoring the stomach to its normal condition and keeping the bowels.

NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, ROSEBURG, October 27, 1875. COMPLAINT HAVING BEEN ENTERED at this office by A. J. Henderson against the heirs of Wm. B. Bailey, deceased, for abandoning his homestead entry, No. 2201, dated August 1, 1875, upon the N. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 of section 29, and the W. 1/2 of N. W. 1/4 and N. W. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of section 21, Township 39 south, range 8 west, in Josephine county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this Office on the 11th day of December, 1875, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning alleged abandonment.

W. M. H. WILLES, Register. J. C. FULLERTON, Receiver.

Matt. Dillon's New Saloon, Next door to Reames Bros., California Street, Jacksonville, Ogn.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES PLEASURE in announcing that he has just opened out at the above location, and will constantly keep on hand a complete and first-class stock of the best brands of wines, liquors, cigars, etc., and also the latest Eastern periodicals and leading newspapers of the Coast. Give me a call. MATT. DILLON.

EUREKA MILLS. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the entire interest in and thoroughly fitted up these mills with the latest improvements, is now prepared to manufacture flour equal to any in the State. Thirty-six pounds of flour, two pounds of shorts and eight pounds of bran will be given in exchange for sixty pounds of good merchantable wheat.

Persons having flour, shorts or bran in the Mills must take them away on or before the 31st of January, 1876. All persons indebted to the firm of McKenzie & Amy must settle up on or before the above date, as the books of said firm must be squared at that time. T. T. MCKENZIE.

WANTED! 20,000 Lbs. of Old Cast Iron, DELIVERED AT THE FOUNDRY IN Ashland, for which we will pay the highest price. Every farmer has more or less old castings about his premises, such as old stoves, pinions and other articles. These they would do well to gather up, and bring them before the mill sets in.

We will also pay the highest price for old COPPER, BRASS and ZINC. J. M. McCALL & CO.

PRO BONO PUBLICO. THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that I have placed my notes and accounts in the hands of my attorney, H. K. Hanna, with positive instructions to make immediate and forced collection in every instance where security is not given.

Those knowing themselves indebted to me will do well to call upon Mr. Hanna, without delay, as this is my last call. My business must be settled! JAMES T. GLENN. Jacksonville, Sept. 9, 1874.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, Administrator of the Estate of Pleasant W. Stow, deceased.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle the same immediately, and all those having claims against said estate will present them with the proper vouchers to me at my place of business in the town of Jacksonville within six months from the date hereof.

HERMAN v. HELMS, Administrator of said Estate. November 2, 1875. 45.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, Administrator of the Estate of Lavinia Stow, deceased.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle the same immediately, and all those having claims against said estate will present them with the proper vouchers to me at my place of business in the town of Jacksonville within six months from the date hereof.

HERMAN v. HELMS, Administrator of said Estate. November 2, 1875.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION daily issued out of the Circuit Court for Josephine county, State of Oregon, and to me directed, in favor of John Bolt and against Wong Faun and Yim Yam, for the sum of \$625.70, gold coin, and \$121.62 costs and attorney fees, and also the accruing interest, I have levied upon and will sell at public auction for cash, at the Court House door in Kerbyville, Josephine county, Oregon, on

Wednesday, December 15, 1875,

between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. of said day, all right, title and interest of the said Wong Faun and Yim Yam in and to the following described real and personal property, to-wit: An undivided three-fourths (3/4) interest of that certain ditch known as the Baltman ditch, the waters of which are brought from Williams creek and empty in the Williamsburg mines; also all the right, title and interest of said Wong Faun and Yim Yam to certain mining claims, lumps and dwelling-houses situated in the Williamsburg Mining District, Josephine county, Oregon.

DAN L. GREEN, Sheriff of Josephine county, Oregon. Kerbyville, November 8, 1875.

SOCIETY NOTICES.

Jacksonville Lodge No. 10, I. O. O. F., Holds its regular meetings every Saturday evening at the Odd Fellows' Hall. Brothers in good standing are invited to attend. JOHN MILLER, N. G. T. B. KENT, Rec. Sec'y.

Jacksonville Stamm No. 118, I. O. O. R. W., Holds its regular meetings every Thursday evening at the Odd Fellows' Hall. Brothers in good standing are invited to attend. N. FISHER, O. C. BEN SACS, R. S.

Oregonian Pioneers Tribe No. 1, Improved order of Red Men, holds its stated convocations at the Red Men's Hall the third sun in every seven suns, in the eighth run. A cordial invitation to all brothers in good standing. H. K. HANNA, C. of R. E. FOUUDRAY, S.

Warren Lodge No. 10, A. F. & A. M., Holds its regular convocations at the Red Men's Hall on the Wednesday evenings or preceding the full moon, in Jacksonville, Oregon. T. G. REAMES, W. M. MAX MULLER, Sec'y.

Ruth Rebekah Degree Lodge No. 4, I. O. O. F., Holds its regular meetings on every other Monday evening at Odd Fellows Hall. Members in good standing are invited to attend. K. KUBLI, N. G. RACHEL FISHER, R. S.

INDEPENDENT LITERARY SOCIETY, Holds its regular meetings at the District School House every Friday evening. CHAS. NICKELL, President. MISS ELLA KUBLI, Sec'y.

CANDIES! CANDIES! FRESH, PURE AND WHOLESOME! Manufactured every day, of the very best material, by D. CANTY & COMPANY, FORMERLY CANTY AND WAGNER Wholesale and Retail CONFECTIONERS, 107 Montgomery St., San Francisco.

THE ATTENTION OF THE TRADE IS called to our immense assortment of Candies, and other goods suitable for the HOLIDAYS, And warranted to keep in all climates. Prices LOW and terms LIBERAL. Orders from the interior promptly attended to.

PROCLAMATION. NEW GOODS AND LOW PRICES! JO. SOLOMON, AT EVANS CREEK, JACKSON COUNTY, Oregon, respectfully calls the attention of the public generally to his LARGE and WELL ASSORTED STOCK of GENERAL MERCHANDISE, which he offers for sale cheaper than the cheapest. Give me a call. Wool and Hides taken in exchange for goods at market rates. JO. SOLOMON. Evans Creek, Sept. 27, 1875.