

TO ADVERTISERS.

The Times has the largest circulation ever attained in Southern Oregon by any newspaper and therefore offers superior inducements to advertisers.

THE FOURTH AT WILLOW SPRINGS.—An attractive programme has been arranged for this occasion, which is presented in our advertising columns.

LECTURE.—To-morrow evening the people of Jacksonville will be favored with a rare treat in a lecture by Prof. L. R. Rogers, President of Ashland College.

PROBATE COURT.—The following business has transacted this Court—Judge Day presiding—since our last report.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WESLEY MITCHELL, deceased. Order made authorizing administrator to sell personal property.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEO. W. BRESLER, deceased. Order made for distribution of money on hand.

INVITATION ACCEPTED.—Gov. Governor Chadwick has signified his intention of accepting the invitation to deliver the oration at the Odd Fellows' celebration in this place on August 18th next.

A CLEVER ARTIST.—Prof. A. E. Rice, of the mind-reading, gave several exhibitions of his wonderful skill in Jacksonville this week.

ODD FELLOWS' CELEBRATION.—Jacksonville Lodge No. 10, I. O. O. F., will celebrate the nineteenth anniversary of its institution on the 18th of next August.

Wool.—The San Francisco market continues quiet at unchanged quotations, as follows: Choice grades of Humboldt and Mendocino, 27 1/2@28 1/2.

NEW GOODS.—While in San Francisco, E. Jacobs laid in a large and first-class stock of new goods, which is now arriving.

Lumber.—Smith & Watson, as will be seen by their advertisement elsewhere, are now prepared to furnish any description of lumber.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—At a stated council of Oregonian-Peacemakers, held on the evening of the 24th, the following officers were elected: E. H. Antemirski, Secretary; Geo. W. Frey, Senior Sagamore; Geo. W. Elliott, Junior Sagamore; C. W. Savage, Chief of Records; Henry Paep, Keeper of Wampum.

RELIGIOUS ITEMS.—Rev. M. C. Miller of Applegate Circuit will hold a basket meeting at the mouth of Foot's creek, commencing on the 29th.

THE WEATHER.—The eccentricities of the weather since the beginning of the year are not confined to this section of the country.

BRIEF REFERENCE.

Farmers are busy. Harvest approaching fast. We always take county scrip at par.

Fourth of July one week to-day. Kerbyville revels in the luxury of a milliner shop.

J. W. Manning has sublet his hay contract to Jay Beach.

Blanks of every description constantly on hand at the Times office.

There is \$100,000 worth of beef for sale in the Klamath basin this year.

The Ashland "Edgings" announces that it will this week do a new dress.

Mart. Hurst will give a ball at his place on Butte creek on the Fourth of July.

Wm. Angle is furnishing the miners of Applegate with a superior quality of beef.

The corn crop is feeling the influence of the Summer's sun and is advancing rapidly.

E. C. Brooks' stock has been replenished with recent additions of first-class goods.

L. L. Savage has been appointed a canvassing agent for the Singer sewing machine.

Speculators in wool are abundant, though most of the Spring clip has been shipped.

Sebastian Schump, an excellent mechanic, will soon commence business in this place.

A halibut of uncommon size was killed on Mission Flat last week by J. B. Huggins.

A. Fisher & Co. have received a large assortment of new goods and are expecting more.

Beautiful visiting cards of every description printed at the Times office at Eastern rates.

Thos. Chavner's building, occupied by J. H. Hyzer, is being repaired.

T. B. Kent is acting Prosecuting Attorney for this county in the absence of J. R. Neil, Esq.

F. Breckenfeld is in receipt of a first-class stock of new goods, including a supply of fancy socks.

Our streets have been cleaned and placed in fine condition for the coming Fourth of July celebration.

Ice-cream is now a popular luxury, though a comfortable fire is often found convenient at the same time.

Dr. M. Vrooman has been appointed a medical examiner of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company.

A neat place is being constructed about the Masonic cemetery under the superintendence of R. S. Dunlap.

Senators Grover and Slater and Congressman Whiteaker have our thanks for important public documents.

Whooping-cough prevails among the children of Phoenix and threatens serious consequences in some instances.

Phoenix is favored with another minister, Rev. Mr. Gilbert, recently from California, having located there.

Wm. Cameron brought a load of fine Applegate salmon to town last Saturday, which were soon disposed of.

The Jacksonville Brass Band is practicing regularly and will perform several pieces of new music on the Fourth of July.

W. H. Byars of Roseburg has received a contract to survey a large tract of Government land in the vicinity of Goose Lake.

St. Mary's Academy has adjourned for the Summer vacation and two of the Sisters have gone to Portland, starting Monday.

The roads are improving to such an extent that the Stage Company proposes to commence running at fast time on the 1st prox.

Davison's three teams returned from Reading this week with 21,000 pounds of freight. As a freighter Andy is not to be outdone.

P. Donegan is able to attend to business once more, having recovered from the wound accidentally received sometime since.

Oats are said to be affected with smut, but not to any great extent. Otherwise the crops will be much heavier than ever before.

Governor Thayer has appointed Jas. H. Evans, of Lakeview, and G. B. Vauquier, of Bonanza, Lake county, as notaries public.

J. S. Howard has just received a large stock of elegant glassware, to say nothing of the numerous other articles he is now unpacking.

Mensor has just received large additions of new goods, which he is disposing of at panic prices. Give him a call and see for yourselves.

The patriotism of the people of Southern Oregon is undoubted, if we judge by the number of Fourth of July celebrations announced.

J. E. Beags has the contract for transporting the Summer freight to Fort Klamath, while M. Baun will arrange for the Winter freighting.

The Board of Trustees contributed a neat sum to the Fourth of July celebration in this place, which will no doubt be a first-class affair.

Marlborough, the lottery man, has sloped for California, via Walla, Josephine county, leaving several creditors to mourn his untimely departure.

J. D. Fountain, School Superintendent, will hold a public examination of applicants for teachers' certificates at the district school house to-morrow.

We are pained to hear that the condition of Mrs. Dr. Robinson has not improved perceptibly since her return to Salem, and is such as to alarm her friends.

Being denied the usual Spring weather, it seems as if we will also escape the warmth of the Summer's sun, something that will aggravate none, however.

Fourth Point will also assist in making the Fourth of July glorious, the citizens having held a meeting Monday last, at which it was determined to celebrate.

A first-class row was imminent Saturday last, but prevented by the timely intervention of outside parties. Tanglefoot was the prime factor in the affair.

A petition for the pardon of D. M. Bennett, publisher of the "Truthseeker," a journal advocating the principles promulgated by Tom Paine, is in circulation here.

Alvin B. Carlwell, formerly of this place, announces himself as a veterinary surgeon in the Red Bluff (Cal.) papers and guarantees the cure of all diseases the equine family is heir to.

The average "small boy" anxiously awaits the Summer days when his head will be sandpapered and the brush and comb becomes of a little practicality as the Oregon game law.

Mining troubles are breaking out afresh on Jackson creek. One of the parties was put under bonds in the sum of \$200 to answer a charge of trespass before the next Grand Jury.

MINING NEWS.

The mining season is almost at an end. Capt. Ankeny is at Galice creek looking after his mining interests.

Capt. Rodgers picked up a nugget valued at \$60 on Silver creek the other day.

The Grand Applegate Company expected to commence panning the forepart of the week.

The Squaw Lake Company made a partial clean-up recently, which proved quite satisfactory. Panning is still progressing, though there is some difficulty concerning the dump.

Chas. Schultz and Rob. Roy, two experienced quartz miners, have taken charge of the Centennial mine at Galice creek, formerly worked by Bybee & Co., and will thoroughly prospect it.

The clean-up at the Hamilton diggings near Uniontown is still progressing, with excellent results. The company will take out over \$4,000 this season, which is considered a very fair yield.

Every prospector should have a supply of notices of location of placer and quartz mines and a copy of Copp's Hand-book of Mining Law, all of which can be obtained at the Times office.

A Mr. Hodgkin, who is working a claim on Democrat gulch in Josephine county, recently cleaned up \$500 after a single week's run. He expects to realize a large sum from the results of this season.

Green Bros., at the Sugar Pine ledge at Galice creek, are still grinding an excellent quality of quartz, which yields as well as ever. They have one of the best pieces of mining property in the State.

N. Cook informs us that the water supply in the Willow Springs district has about failed. T. L. Beck is the only one still at work and he will suspend operations in a few days. The Spring run has proved a fair one.

Frank Lorraine and John Wolters, who have located upon extensions of Egan & Co.'s quartz ledge in the Willow Springs district, will commence prospecting before long. They believe that they will be amply remunerated in time.

Sam. Bowden, Alex. Orms and others will soon commence the prospecting of an immense bed of gravel lying a few miles from Walla, in the vicinity of Illinois river, which they are sanguine will repay the outlay of considerable capital.

A. O. Eckelson and party started Wednesday to panning a line of ditch for Kahler, Likeland & Co., which will bring the waters of Palmer creek to the red hills about eight miles distant. The ground this ditch will cover is said to prospect well.

Thos. Berryman returned from Silver creek last week, having sold out his claim. He says that a considerable portion of that country will pay, though much of it is worthless. A large number of miners are at work and many of them doing fairly.

Sam. Bowden returned from Josephine county this week, who informs us that many of the miners of that section still have an abundance of water and will be enabled to operate for some time yet. He says that Josephine cannot be beat as a mining country, it only requiring development to prove its superiority.

Jack Layton cleaned up 101 ounces at his diggings on Farris' gulch recently and expects to do even better the next time. He has arranged his claim so that he can pipe and clean bedrock at the same time, as he has two channels in which to work. Kuhl & Balt's diggings in that locality are also being operated to good advantage.

E. D. Foudray, receiver of the Taylor mine on Rogue river, now in litigation, went down last week to take the property in charge. He reports finding these diggings well supplied with improved machinery and a deep bank of gravel in sight, which has the appearance of being very rich. A strip of bedrock will be cleaned up immediately, when operations will be suspended for the season.

Jas. Herd and R. Cook were in town this week, from whom we learn that operations will be resumed on the Steamboat quartz ledge without delay. These gentlemen are sanguine that the missing vein, which paid so extravagantly in the early days when W. W. Fowler, Jas. T. Glenn and others were interested in it, will again be discovered and at no distant date. Articles incorporating a company to prosecute the work will soon be filed in the offices of the Secretary of State and County Clerk, after which stock enough to ensure the thorough prospecting of the ledge will be issued. It is to be hoped that Messrs. Herd and Cook will meet with the success they deserve.

Our Galice creek correspondent, under recent date, writes: The Yank ledge is still attracting the attention of quartz experts and the sanguine ones in this vicinity are prophesying that a second Virginia city will soon rise on the banks of Rogue river. H. P. McNevin revisited this place a short time since with Mr. Lightner of San Francisco. This week another quartz expert and capitalist, Mr. Low of San Francisco, visited the Yank ledge and expressed himself well pleased with the prospects. He will return soon. Ex-Gov. Chadwick and Mr. McNevin are expected here in a few days. Ankeny's and the English Co.'s claims have been suspended panning for the season and are now cleaning bedrock. Several claims have been found on Taylor creek. Gold has been found in paying quantities on the discovery claim. Several claims on Briggs' and Silver creeks are paying well.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.—The following transactions in real estate have been recorded since the last issue of the Times: A. H. and H. Thurston to T. S. Robalgh and J. C. Trullinger, mining property in Lealand precinct. Consideration, \$1,000. Jas. Murray and wife to Jacob Ish, 28 1/2 acres in Manzanita precinct. Consideration, \$50. Jacob Ish and wife to Jas. Murray, 18 1/2 acres in Manzanita precinct. Consideration, \$400. S. Shideler and wife to John Kime, 60 acres in Jacksonville precinct. Consideration, \$1,000. Ernest Reinecke to Mary A. Danforth, premises in Jacksonville. Consideration, \$100. Jas. M. Stow and wife to Edward Terry, one-fifth interest in certain real estate on Little Butte creek. Consideration, \$500.

ARRESTS.—A few officers at Goschoer's saw-mill on Williams' creek the other day, in which an individual named Leeper attempted the destruction of one Kline and would have shot him but for the intervention of outside parties. Leeper fled upon learning that a warrant for his arrest had been issued and has not been heard of since.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Dr. Will Jackson has returned from Josephine county.

W. B. Hay has returned to Rock Point from Wasco county and will remain at home.

Mr. Howard, with J. T. Layton of Williams' creek, paid our town a visit Tuesday.

B. Robb has accepted an invitation to assume charge of one of the departments of the East Portland public school.

Geo. Grotz, of Kerbyville, was in town this week, paying his friends a visit. He has leased his salmon to Jas. Hughes and is now a gentleman of leisure.

B. F. Dowell left for Portland Tuesday to assist in the prosecution of the Griswold case, which will soon again come up for trial in Judge Deady's Court.

Geo. E. Strong returned to Lake county Saturday, where his duties as agent of the California and Oregon Land Company call him. He will be absent for sometime.

Wm. Stine, formerly of Yreka, Cal., passed through town Tuesday, en route for Walla Walla, W. T., where he will permanently locate. He was accompanied by his family.

Walter Jackson, representing Wasserman & Co., of Portland, is in this section at present. Walter is quite a success as a "drummer," and has materially furthered the interests of his house.

Ben Haymond of Rock Point called on us Wednesday, from whom we learn that the new bridge across Rogue river is fast assuming proportions and will doubtless be finished by the first of September next.

Mrs. Christiana of Lafayette, Yamhill county, mother of Mrs. W. M. Turner, is now paying this place a brief visit. She is accompanied by two daughters—Mrs. G. H. Stewart of Vancouver and Miss Mary Christian.

Dan Leahy, division superintendent of the W. U. Telegraph Company for the northwest coast, accompanied by John A. Cronch, chief of construction, were in town this week. They are inspecting the line between British Columbia and Yreka.

J. W. Howard and Edward Levy of Modoc county arrived in town the forepart of the week. The former returned Wednesday, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Emma, who has been attending St. Mary's Academy for several months past.

T. McKeown and A. O. Eckelson have returned from Roseburg, at which point they met Surveyor-General Tolman and arranged the preliminaries of a surveying contract they are interested in and upon the fulfillment of which they will soon enter.

Capt. Sprague, formerly of this place, but now Proctor of Delaware county, Ohio, sends us a copy of the Cincinnati "Enquirer," containing much interesting news. Capt. Sprague, although not a Confederate Brigadier, was elected to his present position on the Democratic ticket, and is also quite complimentary to him, in a Republican county.

SOMERSET.—J. W. Collins of Table Rock has sixteen acres of sorghum under cultivation, which is growing finely and promises to yield abundantly. He has sent for the requisite machinery for the manufacture of sorghum syrup of a superior quality and is sanguine of the success of the industry he has thus inaugurated, which his enterprise certainly deserves.

SERGEY U.—Fisher & Goro give notice to the public that the firm that unless immediately paid is made suit will be instituted forthwith without any previous notification from them.

THE National Gold Medal was awarded to Fredrick A. Holsdorf for the best photographs in the United States, and the Young Medal for the best in the world, 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

MARRIED.—WILLIAMS—FREDERICK BERG—On Big Butte, June 20th, by J. W. Hays, J. P., to the wife of G. W. Williams, a daughter.

BORN.—ARMSTRONG—On June 19th, to the wife of Jas. Armstrong, a son.

UNION LIVERY AND SALE STABLE, Cor. California and 4th Sts.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully inform their friends and the public generally that they have purchased the above establishment, which will be henceforth conducted under their constant personal supervision, and they guarantee satisfaction on all who may favor them with their patronage.

These stables are centrally located, and within convenient distance of the various houses of public entertainment. Horses and mules will be boarded and cared for at moderate charges. They have one of the largest and finest stocks in Oregon, south of Portland.

With single or double teams, for hire on reasonable terms. Also good Saddle Horses and Mules, which will be hired to go to any part of the country at moderate rates.

Animals bought and sold, and broke to saddle or harness.

J. A. CARDWELL.

PHILLIPS' EXPRESS, Carrying the U. S. Mail.

Running Between Ashland and Linkville.

I HAVE ASHLAND AND LINKVILLE every day in the week, excepting Sundays, and connects with the mail for Lakeview.

Superior Accommodations for Passengers who will be carried to any point on the road at reasonable rates.

A General Express Business Transacted. All orders promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.

H. F. PHILLIPS, Ashland, June 1, 1879.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS! THERE WILL BE A PUBLIC EXAMINATION of applicants for Teachers' Certificates held at the District School House in Jacksonville.

Saturday, June 28th, 1879.

Teachers will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

J. D. FOUNTAIN, County School Superintendent.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE PEOPLE.

I HAVE RECEIVED ANOTHER LARGE consignment of the celebrated Singer Sewing Machines, which are for sale on the usual liberal terms and at the regular prices established by the company.

The Singer Company now sell three-quarters of all the machines sold in the world, the capacity of their works at Elizabeth, New Jersey, enabling them to turn out over a thousand machines a day, and they have 4,500 offices for the sale of these justly celebrated sewing machines, which have taken the

FIRST PRIZE Over all competitors more than two hundred times.

After the Chicago fire the Relief Committee undertook to furnish sewing machines to the needy women of that city, and applicants were permitted to choose from six different kinds of machines. 2,944 applicants were furnished with machines, of which number 2,427 chose Singer machines and 517 distributed their choice among the five other kinds of machines. They were to earn their living on these machines, and took the Singer, because

IT IS THE BEST. The people bought Singer machines as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Year, Number of Singer Machines. 1870: 127,833; 1871: 181,250; 1872: 219,758; 1873: 292,444; 1874: 341,679; 1875: 419,532; 1876: 523,316; 1877: 582,812; 1878: 536,432.

D. H. FEATHERS, Agent for Jackson and Josephine Counties, Headquarters, Jacksonville, Or.

TO THE FRONT AGAIN! NEW STOCK OF GOODS From San Francisco.

GEO. W. ELLIOTT

DEBS LEAVE TO CALL THE ATTENTION of the public to the fact that he has just returned from San Francisco with a full stock of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, CONSISTING IN PART OF LADIES' FANCY GOODS OF EVERY VARIETY.

GENTS' and BOYS' HATS and CLOTHING OF THE LATEST STYLES, Groceries, Tobaccos, &c., &c.

WHICH HE IS SELLING At Prices that Defy Competition.

MENS' and BOYS' SHIRTS. A full assortment from the finest to the most common.

SPECTACLES and JEWELRY. The finest lot of Spectacles and Eye-glasses ever brought to the market and Watches and Jewelry of every description.

NOTICE TO HORSEMEN. The Thoroughbred Stallion SCAMPERDOWN

THIS THOROUGHBRED STALLION will make the coming season, commencing April 1st and ending July 1st, as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at the stable of J. W. Manning in Jacksonville, and the remainder of the week at our stable near Fort Lane.

DISCUSSION AND PEDIGREE. SCAMPERDOWN is a beautiful dark bay, 16 hands high, seven years old this Spring, in the State. He was bred by Theo. Winters, of California, and was sired by Norfolk (See Norfolk's pedigree), his dam is "Lady Davis," by "Red Bill." (See Stud Book.) The same authority gives "Lady Davis" as the dam of "Dustaway," "Ben-regard" and "Richmond," all by "Belmont."

TERMS.—For the season, \$25. Grain and other marketable produce taken at cash prices. Pasture furnished.

ROBERT & CLOUGHLIN.

JOHN MILLER'S Is the place to go for anything in the hardware line. He has a large and superior stock of Rifles, Shot Guns and Sporting Material, and in fact everything from an Anvil to a

SKELETON Key. He sells at LESS than Bedrock prices FOR CASH, and all those purchasing Building Hardware, Tools of every kind, Paints, Glass, Corriage, Brushes, &c., have

FOUND That he is determined to under-sell any one in the market, and people who wish Cutlery, Quartz or Spy Glasses, or anything made of iron;

IN Fact people from every place or from ASHLAND Will find that he means business, and will get bargains by calling on him before going elsewhere.

SETTLE UP. ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEM selves indebted to the undersigned, either by note or book account, are requested to call immediately and make a settlement. A word to the wise is sufficient.

JOS. SOLOMONSON, Woodville, June 14, 1879.

JUSTICES AND LEGAL BLANKS OF all kinds for sale at the TIMES OFFICE.

To the People of Northern California and Southern Oregon!

ASHLAND COLLEGE

NORMAL SCHOOL.

ASHLAND, OREGON.

First Session will commence Sept. 15th, 1879.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES: REV. L. L. ROGERS, President.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF FOUNDING THE Ashland College and Normal School, the property known as the Ashland Academy has been placed, free from debt, under the control of a Board of Trustees, who have inaugurated the enterprise by filling the following positions in the

FACULTY: REV. LOWELL L. ROGERS, A. M., President; Professor of Mental and Moral Sciences.

W. L. NICHOLS, A. M., Vice President; Professor of Mathematics.

MRS. A. A. ROGERS, Preceptress; Teacher of English Grammar.

MRS. JENNIE BALDWIN NICHOLS, Teacher of Music and French, occupying three years each. Diplomas given certifying to attainments of graduates.

EXPENSES. Tuition in four Collegiate Branches, \$6 a month. Music, \$5 a month (use of instrument \$1 additional). Vocal music in class, \$3 a quarter. Board in Boarding Hall or in Private Families, \$8.50 to \$15.00 a week. Rooms or Cottages for self-boarding, \$2 to \$5 per month.

PARTIAL LIST OF TEXT BOOKS. Robinson's Mathematics, Steele's Series in Natural Sciences, Harkness' Latin, Fessenden's Richardson's Piano Instruction.

PROMINENT FEATURES AND ITEMS OF INTEREST. 1. The College will be chartered and the Normal or Training School for Teachers will be added, it is hoped by special enactment, an adjunct of the Public School system, and Diplomas made equivalent to first-grade certificates.

2. Ashland has no saloons. The sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited by the City authorities, who are sustained by a strong public sentiment.

3. The School will be under the supervision of an Evangelical Christian Church. The Bible will be reverently read and studied; the worship of God encouraged; but the Institution will be sectarian in no objectionable sense.

4. Book-keeping, Business, Arithmetic, English Composition and other branches, specially preparatory for Business Life, will receive unusual attention.

5. The Preceptress will give her chief attention to the care and oversight of the young ladies.

6. An Endowment of \$20,000 will be, there is reason to hope, promptly secured, enabling the Trustees to reduce the present rates of tuition, specially to Teachers, after the first year. Address communications to Ashland College and Normal School, ASHLAND, OREGON.

NOTICE, STOCKMEN! THE WELL-KNOWN DRAFT HORSE, TURK.

WILL MAKE THE SEASON, commencing at Jacksonville, where he will be on April 1st; at the Penning place on the 24th; at Westport's farm, Saturday, the 3d, 4th and 5th; at Phoenix, at G. W. Bailey's stable, on the 7th, 8th and 9th; and will be at said places every month after.

DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE. Turk is 9 years old this Spring. His sire was Arabian, out of a Timoleon mare, Turk's dam was French. He is a dark chestnut sorrel, with white points, 17 hands high, and weighs 1,500 pounds in working condition.

Consistent judges agree that Turk's colts will compare favorably with any yet produced in the State, and he is highly recommended by leading stock-raisers of Douglas county, where he has made several seasons.

TERMS.—\$15 for the season, payable in cash, grain or note on the 1st day of July. I have engaged Hall's pasture, adjoining Penning's ranch, containing plenty of good feed and running water, and will be prepared to furnish pasturage at \$1.50 per month. The best of care guaranteed.

ROBT. WESTROP.

ASHLAND MARBLE WORKS.

J. H. RUSSELL, PROPRIETOR.

THE UNDERSIGNED, BEING STATIONED at Ashland again, has turned his entire attention to the