

BRIEF REFERENCE.

Bargains at Menor's. Farmers are very busy. Read the new advertisements. Local correspondence solicited.

Immigration continues to flow in. Hay is delivered in town at \$8 a ton. The Fall flight of drummers has set in.

The Summer hegra is becoming general. More beggars have made their appearance. Grand clearance sale at Newman Fisher's.

Ex-Governor Chadwick is expected here soon. For beautiful visiting cards go to the TIMES office.

Headlers, reapers and threshers are in demand. Geo. Schamp is fixing up his barber-shop in fine style.

The Ashland cemetery will be improved immediately. Merritt, who stabbed Satterfield last week, is still at large.

For blanks of every description go to the TIMES office. Three gallons of blackberries can be obtained for a dollar at Ashland.

Harvest is here and the printer should not be forgotten at its close. The net proceeds of the recent ice-cream festival amounted to \$85.50.

Jas. Armstrong started for Linkville the other day with a load of fruit. Ed. Hendricks offers a grist mill and a choice site on Applegate for sale.

The sale of the Jenny creek saw-mill by the Sheriff has been postponed. Chris. Weiss is engineering Orth's butcher-wagon during the heated term.

We have just turned out a lot of receipt and note books, which are neat and cheap. P. W. Olwell is placing the Phoenix Mills in first-class repair for next season's work.

Beggs, who has the freight contract, will soon send several teams to Fort Klamath. Considerable sickness still prevails in the valley, but seems to be mostly of a mild type.

Oats will be plentiful this season and of an excellent quality. The same can be said of barley. Our County Treasurer elsewhere announces that he has money on hand to redeem certain county warrants.

Jacob Mills, residing near town, is now manufacturing a catarrh remedy that is said to be quite efficacious. John Griffin is confined to his room by sickness and his place on the box is temporarily filled by J. Deal.

The San Francisco wool market continues dull, with Eastern Oregon quoted at 18c@20c and valley at 20c@25c. Col. J. N. T. Miller will put one or more of his fine trotting horses in training for the Siskiyou county fair races.

P. R. Lewis, having placed the Kerbyville Mills in first-class order, is prepared to do custom-work after this date. Uniontown post office has received its key and the mail route to Wright's on Big Applegate is now in running order.

H. M. Barnes and family returned to Yreka Monday, well pleased with their brief visit, which they intend repeating. The "Plainsdealer" which Zimmerman & Frazer made their first run at the new foundry on the 26th. It was a success.

The "Tidings" says the first wheat of the season was brought to the Ashland mill on the 29th ult. from Jacob Ish's harvest field and sold for 60 cents per bushel. We learn that J. N. Numan is about to purchase the land fronting on California street owned by the Casey heirs, contemplating the erection of a fine building on it.

Business men can keep their money at home by ordering their bill-heads, letter-heads, notes, receipts, etc., at the TIMES office, where the best printing is done at low rates. It is estimated that the church building the Presbyterians of this place propose erecting will cost \$5,000. It will no doubt be a fine structure and an ornament to the town.

There will be no regular services at the M. E. Church after Sunday until Conference shall have met, excepting by Rev. M. A. Williams, who will fill his usual appointments. The friends of M. Menor will be pleased to learn that he is recovering from his recent indisposition.

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E. H. Antenrieth, Esq., left for Yreka Monday, accompanied by his mother, who has been paying this place a visit. Mr. Antenrieth is returning Thursday, having finished his business. Jas. H. Kincaid has gone east of the mountains, being interested in the contract for furnishing Fort Klamath with 700 cords of wood. Charles Straub succeeds him at Matt. Shannan's.

Assessor Giddard was in town this week on his way to Applegate on official business. We regret to learn that Jas. Miller, the genial Nabby of Brownsborough, seriously contemplates resigning his position. It is to be hoped that he will reconsider his determination, as the prospective suspension of that office would work a great hardship to many.

K. Kubli has secured the services of A. H. Megaly, a first-class mechanic and one who will not fail in giving general satisfaction. Mr. Kubli also keeps a superior supply of hardware, tinware and general merchandise, which he is disposing of at away-down rates.

The marriage of a couple, whose combined ages aggregate 135 years, is the latest event on the carpet. Nor was it appreciated more by anyone than by the old folks themselves. Let any of our old maids and bachelors take next courage, for verily there must still be "hopes in Israel." The Republicans of Siskiyou county have named A. H. Burrows to be slaughtered by Charles Peters in the race for County Treasurer. We feel sorry for A. H.; but he is fully aware of his martyrdom and is therefore no doubt fully cognizant of the fate in store for him.

A party consisting of Mrs. J. L. M. Plym, Misses Cora and Maggie Linn, Myrtle Vining and Carrie Beckman, accompanied by Mrs. J. R. Kelley and others, started for the vine-clad hills of the Spaw Lake country Saturday, intending to spend a few days in recreation. Quite a tract of Government land of every conceivable character will be thrown open to settlement and entry by the survey now being made by Messrs. McKeezie, Edwards and others, to a few more of such contracts, for they are a great benefit to all.

The salaries of the teachers of Jacksonville district school for the ensuing scholastic year will aggregate \$2,800. This institution of learning will be brought to the height of proficiency, and we have no doubt but that it will compare favorably with the best of the kind on the north-west coast.

We are now passing through that interesting period designated in chronology as the "dog days." And "sheddill we don't say happy," for the thermometer persists in its gambols and we long for the regions where raiment is unknown and the happy Hottentot warbles his matutinal lay in unison to the caichinnations of the graceful grackle.

We are under obligations to the ladies who so successfully managed the late ice-cream festival for a liberal supply of excellent cake. The friends of our city are remembered by the TIMES office, even our imp of darkness bowing in humble recognition of the compliment bestowed and wishing that such delightful events were of more frequent occurrence.

The Portland "Standard" appropriates our mining news weekly and fails to accord us any credit whatever. If our memory serves us right we have observed that that journal often takes occasion to flagellate contemporaries delinquent in this respect, and correctly, too. What is sauce for the goose should be sauce for the gander. What say you, Mr. "Standard"?

Those handsome pictures on exhibition at Geo. W. Elliott's were raffled off at the Railroad Saloon last Saturday evening. The principal prizes being won by D. Feninger, Johnny Cowan and J. H. Hoffman. Several others were fortunate enough to throw winning numbers, but a vast majority went away disappointed, the prizes being inadequate to the desires of the ticket-holders.

PERSONAL NOTES. J. Numan is at Soda Springs. Miss Annie Bilger is visiting friends in Ashland. N. Delamater returned to Josephine county yesterday morning.

Thos. Robinson, of Oakland, Cal., is paying this section a brief visit. Hon. A. C. Jones and family are spending a few days at the Soda Springs.

L. F. Willis and wife have taken up a temporary residence in this place. H. Cusick of Lake county has taken charge of the Union hotel at Ashland.

Sheriff Bybee has gone to Josephine county to look after his mining interests. Mrs. Bilger and Mrs. Coleman, who have been sojourning at Soda Springs, returned Saturday.

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MISSING NEWS. Water is about out everywhere. Prospecting is now fully under way. All the Galilee creek companies have cleaned up for this season. The Sterling mine will suspend operations for the season on the 15th.

Considerable prospecting is now going on in this section, especially towards Applegate. Nickell & Nelson are about opening some mining ground on the Carberry fork of a tributary stream.

New diggings have been discovered on the west branch of Cow creek that are said to prospect well. Water is also falling fast in Josephine county and the ditch companies alone are operating at present.

Jas. Adams is mining on Jackass creek by means of a reservoir and averaging \$4 a day while water lasts. A nugget of pure gold, worth \$20, was found in the Engle Company's diggings at Galilee creek recently.

A full supply of mining blanks and Copp's Hand-book of Mining Law can always be obtained at the TIMES office. The stockholders of the Emeline Cinnabar Co. will hold a meeting one week from tomorrow. A full attendance is requested.

A meeting of those interested in the Lucky Queen quartz mine was held last Friday, we learn. It is said that work will be commenced on the ledge soon. The Grave Creek Ditch Co. has a small force of men still at work on its mammoth ditch. Operations will be continued slowly until more funds are obtained.

One only hand is at present engaged in working the Esther ledge on Grave creek, though we learn that operations will be resumed in earnest at an early date. The Applegate Grave Mining Co., better known as the Grand Applegate, is getting excellent prospects, though operations are progressing under some disadvantages.

A break occurred at the head of the Squaw Lake Company's dam, which has been in operation since the 1st of July. Work is now being prosecuted with renewed vigor and good prospects. Jack Layton and Kubli & Bolt, running the Applegate dam, are expected to arrive here before long, and are expected to arrive here before long, and are expected to arrive here before long.

M. Lightner, the mining expert, who has been in this section a visit a few months ago, is expected to arrive here before long, and is expected to arrive here before long, and is expected to arrive here before long. Gin Lin made a claim on the 1st of July, from which he realized over \$1,000. This was the result of a sixteen days' run with one pipe. Water is falling fast and he will be obliged to suspend operations before long.

Egan & Co. are still going down on the old Johnson quartz ledge in the Willow Springs district. At the depth of forty feet the vein is still showing, and the vein seems to be still widening, although now four feet in width. Fred. Croft and Chris. Wintjen went to Applegate Monday, intending to look after some promising diggings they are interested in there. They propose thoroughly prospecting them this season and may put on a hydraulic mine.

McDonough, Kahler & Co. are now engaged in prospecting the Fort Lane quartz ledge and have sunk down seventy feet on it, at which depth the vein is a foot wide. Another pocket has been struck, and some very rich ore is being taken out. J. Thorndyke of Galilee creek was in town this week, from whom we learn that the season has about closed there. The run proved a fair one, though it was not as remunerative as it would otherwise have been, owing to its brevity. Preparations are now being made for next season's work.

Several of the stockholders of the Grand Applegate Mining Company are expected to arrive in this place on Friday next and will then proceed to their diggings, intending to thoroughly prospect them before returning. They are principally residents of Oregon. We learn that H. P. McNevin has decided not to prospect the Yuk ledge according to the terms of his contract with the company and will probably throw it up altogether. This will be a matter of disappointment to all who hoped to see that immense body of quartz thoroughly prospected.

John Hannan of Leland was in town this week and informs us that extensive diggings have been found on upper Grave creek that prove to be a promising character, and are engaged in prospecting them with great results. Should they prove what is claimed for them a lively camp will no doubt spring up. Quite a number of miners are leaving Silver creek, which are in a measure offed by those going in. The creek is spotted with gold, some claims paying well, while others will not pay but extensive quantities of them. New developments are doing much toward establishing the richness of the camp, however.

Ex-Sheriff Jeffery of Multnomah county, who is interested in placer diggings on Bolon creek, Josephine county, is expected to arrive there soon. His company was prevented from doing any effective work last season on account of the extensive cave of dirt, but are nevertheless satisfied with the prospects obtained. Billy Burks was up from Foot's creek the other day and secured quite a quantity of platinum, such as Edison, the inventor, desires, has been found in small quantities there. Others are of the opinion that Uncle Sam's diggings recently discovered, which he combats, and proposes having the matter fully tested before he succumbs.

J. C. Trullinger writes us that our Lucky Queen correspondent erred in saying that Geo. E. Hedderly yesterday to give his horse-creek diggings, as that individual has no business connection with him whatever. Mr. Trullinger says that the ditch to those diggings is about half finished and great credit is due the Thorstons for the manner in which they are prosecuting the work.

Geo. Howard returned from Josephine county last week, from whom we learn that Brown Bros. have run the preliminary survey of a ditch leading from the Sulphur creek to the diggings recently discovered on the Hanson estate, situated on Altitude, and which will be about fourteen miles in length. It is quite likely that work on this new and extensive enterprise will be commenced in a few weeks.

LAYING OF CORNER-STONE.—A large number of the members of Warren Lodge No. 10, A. F. & A. M., of this place, accompanied by their ladies and several friends, went to Ashland yesterday to participate in the exercises of laying the corner-stone of the new Masonic building. Extensive arrangements had been perfected and the affair promised to be one of the most impressive ever witnessed in Southern Oregon. "Long as it did on the latest day of the week, we were deprived of this auspicious opportunity to visit our sister town, something we have every reason to regret. In the next issue of the TIMES we hope to give a full account of the proceedings.

ACCIDENT.—Henry Waisman, of the firm of Smith & Waisman, fell from the top of J. W. Manning's barn to the ground, a distance of twenty-five feet, yesterday and was badly injured. From Dr. Danforth, who was summoned, we learn that he sustained the fracture of a collar-bone and received internal injuries that may prove serious.

"WHAT CAME OF IT?"—This is the title of an interesting little work for which Henry Steidel of Portland is now canvassing this section. It was commenced by his late wife, who left these earthly scenes before its completion, and was finished by Samuel L. Simpson. Possessing considerable merit, it is well worth the moderate subscription price—\$1.50. The County Commissioners met this week. The proceedings will appear in our next issue.

ON A DISTRESSING ERRAND.—W. C. Savage, of San Francisco, whose father met with a terrible death at Modoc Point a short time since, was in town last week. He came in response to a telegram from Paymaster Kiefer informing him of the calamity and immediately proceeded to Capt. Ferree's, where the elder Mr. Savage had passed his last moments, and took charge of the effects. The body had been buried at Linkville, where it will probably be allowed to remain until Fall. Mr. Savage related further incidents of the lamentable accident that fairly made one's blood curdle. He also spoke in the highest terms of the kind attention shown the deceased before and after his death by Capt. Ferree and others. Mr. Savage is a chief salesman in the extensive wholesale house of Newton Bros., and returned home Saturday.

CREDIT COURT FOR DOUGLAS COUNTY.—This following disposition was made of cases belonging to Jackson county at the recent session of the Circuit Court for Douglas: Joel Dixon vs. W. G. B. Dixon et al.; suit in equity to set aside conveyance. Case submitted by agreement of counsel, and to be argued in written briefs, which are to be filed within twenty days. John Weiss vs. the County Court of Jackson and G. H. Young; suit in equity to quiet title and for an injunction. Dismissed.

G. W. Lance vs. W. S. King; injunction. Continued. DeLashmuth & Oatman vs. Geo. H. Marshall et al.; suit in equity to set aside fraudulent sale of real and personal property and for injunction. Judgment for defendants.

RELIGIOUS ITEMS.—A camp-meeting, under the auspices of the M. E. Church, South, began at Williams creek yesterday. Rev. J. R. N. Bell, Presiding Elder of this district, is expected to be in attendance. Rev. A. Harison will hold divine service at the M. E. Church on Sunday at the usual morning hour. The District Conference of the M. E. Church, South, will be held at Bybee's ferry, commencing on Thursday evening next. Reverend Bill, Stal, Klee, Miller and Harison are expected to be present. A public sale will be kept on the grounds by J. S. March.

THE CRESCENT CITY ROAD.—A correspondent, writing from Kerbyville under date of July 31st, says: The Crescent City road is being put in better order than it ever has been, through the enterprise of the citizens of the Illinois valley. By the way, P. W. Olwell of Phoenix Mills deserves credit for his liberality in donating towards repairing the road. I believe he is the only resident of Jackson county who has contributed anything. The citizens of Crescent City are putting the other end of the road in good repair and there will be no toll to pay whatever.

NEW ROUTE.—The Roseburg "Star" learns from R. Dixon, who has lately returned from the Cascade mountains, that the trail from Roseburg to Klamath Lake is ready for travel, except about three miles, which will soon be finished. This road is located upon the natural highway for a railroad or wagon road from Lake county to Western Oregon, and it shortens the distance to the railroad terminus at Roseburg from every point in Lake county.

I. O. O. F. CELEBRATION.—The Odd Fellows are making extensive preparations for their celebration on the 18th and will spare no pains to make it a magnificent success. The programme of exercises is a splendid one, promising much in the way of amusement and other lodges will be represented and we may expect a very large assemblage upon this occasion.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.—The following deeds have been recorded in the County Clerk's office since the last issue of the TIMES: C. Magruder and H. H. Magruder to Jane E. White, certain lots in Rock Point. Consideration, \$25. J. Houck to M. Powell, lot 3 in block No. 7, in Ashland. Consideration, \$315. A U. S. patent to L. J. White has been entered of record.

NOTICE.—In the course of a few weeks those indebted to the TIMES office will receive a statement of their account, to which they are expected to pay prompt attention, as we contemplate improvements that require a considerable outlay. The sum each may be indebted to, will not be extensive, and we are sure to a great deal to us. County scrip will be taken at par.

"He Ought to have It." "Clarence, you've got a real kind heart," gratefully observed a young lady on the cars to a youth as he dropped a prize-package of pop-corn in her lap. "Yes, Mary; my heart is all right," he sadly replied; "what I want is a new coat. Why don't you use Pioneer's Oregon Blood Purifier, Liver and Kidney Regulator?"

AT WORK.—T. J. Bell & Co. of Eden precinct have recently received one of the unrivaled Buffalo Pitts threshers and are now busily engaged in the harvest. They thresh for three and four cents a bushel and guarantee satisfaction. Farmers will do well to give them a trial.

ROBBERY.—Some scoundrel of low degree entered the smoke-house of Mrs. Wetters last Friday evening and stole a large amount of cured meat. The theft was bad enough, but the attending circumstances made the crime infinitely worse.

PROBATE COURT.—The following business has been transacted in this Court since our last issue: In the matter of the guardianship of E. J. Fara, a minor. Annual exhibit of H. C. Fleming, guardian, examined and approved.

PERSONAL.—Rev. Father Heinrich of Roseburg is the guest of Father Blanchet. The Rev. Father will preach at the Catholic Church next Sunday morning in English and in German in the evening.

We were highly amused at overhearing the following colloquy between two little girls, playmates, who had been separated a few days on account of the illness of one of them, named Clara. Her friend Bessie remarked to her: "I am so glad to see you out again." Clara—"I was very sick. Papa was anxious to have the doctor, but mamma said she would rather try Dr. Fresser's Hamburg Tea; and as soon as I began to take it I began to get better. I am glad she gave it to me, for I think it is much better to take than the horrid medicines the doctor always gives us." Bessie—"Well, if that is so, I will ask my mamma to get some and have it in the house. I don't like doctors' stuff, either."

MARRIED. HAY—PACKWOOD.—At the residence of Wm. Bybee, August 5th, by J. H. Hedderly, J. P., Wm. B. Hay and Mrs. E. A. Packwood.

COOK—SIMPSON.—In Jacksonville precinct, by J. H. Hedderly, J. P., Wm. Cook and Miss Clara Simpson.

BORN. DELAMATER.—In Jacksonville, August 2d, to Mr. and Mrs. N. Delamater, a daughter.

To the People of Northern California and Southern Oregon! ASHLAND COLLEGE

NORMAL SCHOOL. LOCATED AT ASHLAND OREGON. First Session will Commence Sept. 15th, 1879.

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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 Science; W. I. 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.

Other competent instructors will be secured as fast as the needs of the Institution require, so that no pupil will be provided with the best facilities for commencing and completing the following COURSES OF STUDY: 1. Classical, requiring six years, including preparatory studies. Graduates receive the Degree of A. B. and A. M. 2. SCIENTIFIC, requiring four years. Degree conferred, B. S. 3. NORMAL, COMMERICAL, AND MEDICAL, occupying three years each. Diplomas given certifying to attainments of graduates.

EXPENSES. Tuition in four Collegiate Branches, \$6 a month. Board, \$5 monthly (rate of instrument \$1 additionally). Vocal music in class, \$3 a quarter. Board in Boarding Hall or in Private Families, \$3.50 to \$4.50 a week. Rooms or Cottages for self-boarded, \$2 to \$3 per month. PARTIAL LIST OF TEXT BOOKS. Robinson's Mathematics, Steele's Series in French, French Series, Harkness' Latin, Fossell's Natural Science, Read's Series in English Composition, 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 made, 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, ere long, raised to help, promptly subscribed, enabling the Trustees to reduce the present rates of tuition, specially to Teachers, after the present year. Address communications to Ashland College and Normal School, ASHLAND, OREGON.

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