The Democratic Times

THURSDAY.....MAY 9, 1889

Circuit Court Proceedings.

The following proceedings have occurred since the last report of the TIMES:

E K Anderson vs. Hammon Bros; suit for injunction. Written evidence on file read and submitted. Case to be decided in vacation.

B Schweitzer vs. C W Nelson; to recover money. Continued for service.

Same vs. W I Vawter; garnishment. Dismissed at costs of plaintiff.

L Feldman & Co. vs. C W Nelson; to recover money. Continued for service.

C C Beesman vs. James Hamlin; motion for leave to issue execution. Demurrer to answer sustained and cause continued.

Estate of J H Williams, an insolvent debtor, R H Moore, assignee; petition for leave to sell real estate at private sale. Granted.

Mary Adlington vs. Thomas L Adlington; divorce. Dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

Amanda Bilger vs Gin Lin; to foreclose chattel mortgage. Continued.

J C Elder vs. town of Medford; writ of review. Dismissed for want of service and jurisdiction.

H K Hanna vs. Levi Grigsby; to recover money. Continued.

C E Nininger vs. E J Curtis; to foreclose mortgage. Demurrer taken under advisement.

Stricken in His Prime.

After a lingering illness, which he fully realized must terminate fatally, B. C. Goddard, Jr., peacefully breathed his last at twelve o'clock on last Monday night, at his home near Medford. With patient fortitude he endured the suffering incident to that most terrible disease, consumption, and when death came it was but to relieve his earthly tenement from pain. Deceased was among the oldest pioneers in the valley, having resided here since infancy, and one of the most familiar figures in the county. Ever affable and genial, a warm-hearted friend and a true citizen in the highest meaning of the words, he leaves behind him only the pleasantest of memories and vain regrets that he should have been so early called away from life. He leaves surviving a widow and three little children to mourn the loss of a kind and indulgent husband and father. Carlos was two days less than thirty-eight years old at the time of his death. A large concourse of friends followed the remains to their final resting place in the beautiful Jacksonville cemetery on Wednesday.

Agricultural Association.

Pursuant to adjournment the persons interested in incorporating our local agricultural society met at the town hall again last Saturday and adopted the report of the committee on incorporation, and subsequently executed and filed articles of incorporation of The Jackson County Agricultural Association with the county clerk at Jacksonville and the secretary of state at Salem. The amount of the capital stock is placed at $5000, and the valuation of shares at $10 each. The incorporators are B. F. Adkins, C. Magruder, C. C. Beekman, W. C. Lever, F. E. Downing, Frank Amy, Chas. G. Ripper and ——.

A number of persons were designated by the corporators to receive subscriptions for stock and will in due time wait upon the farmers and business men of their respective neighborhoods. The books have already been opened for subscription, and the manner in which stock is being taken is gratifying to observe. Our people are awake and alive to the necessity existing for a good local fair association, and, as they from the prospect of securing the district fair.

Government Surveys.

As is customary in the field operations of the geodetic and geological surveys of the United States, at the beginning of May, the several parties are reorganizing for work. Ashland is the wintering place for a portion of the government stock employed, and the "Tidings" says: "The U. S. topographical surveying party of Wilson and Perkins, which was in the mountains of southern Oregon last summer, will probably be engaged this season in the investigation of the irrigation problem taken in hand by the government to improve the arid government land yet unsubdued; and Charley Howell, who has had in winter quarters here the 23 mules used in such work, expects to start for Idaho with them within a few days. Monroe Sonnichsen of this place, who was with the party last season, will take the field with them again. Capt. Dutton, the eminent naturalist, will be in the mountains of southern Oregon once more this season with a party engaged in geological researches."

Must Serve Out Their Sentence.

Walter Neustadt, the half-interest partner of Simon Hamberg, was before the supreme court of California recently on a writ of habeas corpus. Neustadt was sentenced to a year in the county jail and to pay a $2500 fine, and his ground for demanding a release was that a prisoner could not be made to work out a fine while imprisoned in the county jail. This idea was based on a recent decision of the supreme court, which held that a convict in the penitentiary could not be held for a fine after the term of his imprisonment had expired. The court dismissed the writ and remanded Neustadt to the county jail to serve out the balance of his sentence. There are fifteen other cases of a similar nature in the various jails throughout the state that have been awaiting this decision. Simon Hamberg is one of them, and he will have to stay in jail twenty-seven years unless he pays his extra fine.

Want a Mile Track.

Horsemen in this valley hope to see a mile track on the prospective grounds of the Jackson county agricultural association before the summer is over. There are several eligible sites for the location in the heart of Bear creek valley, and we trust that some one of them will be secured. As it is now, our fine horses have to be sent out of the county to be developed, and unnecessary risk is assumed of injury and neglect to valuable stock and annoyance and disappointment to owners. With a suitable track in proper hands in this valley the owners, who have heretofore sent their horses to Yreka or Salem for working and training, will be only too glad to expend their money for these services to local trainers, and have the opportunity of overseeing their animals in person while working.

Pure Cussedness.

While shoeing a refractory and unregenerate mule belonging to J. A. Cardwell on Wednesday afternoon of last week, George Hays had the misfortune to have his head come in p. d. q. contact with the hoof attached to the animal's off hind leg. Any other man would undoubtedly have "slept with his fathers" under the same or less provocation; but Hays has already reduced the swelling, and, beyond bearing a fine imprint of a mule's foot on his temple and a touch of rheumatism in his hair, is ready for the ring again. The mule was doing well at last accounts, but is still somewhat chagrined at not being able to knock his man out the first round. Had he used either one of his other feet, which were shod, he would have had no vain regrets to ramminate over.

Runaway Accident.

Last Friday evening, as David Linn was returning from a trip to his timber land west of town, accompanied by Frank Smith, the horse which they were driving ran away down the road now being built and overturned the spring wagon as he struck a grove of oak trees, throwing both occupants to the ground and severely injuring Mr. Linn, who was confined to his room for several days. He is now about again, but is still suffering with a sprained ankle and bruised limbs. The horse took fright from the wagon running on to him, the breeching not having been buckled properly. Smith was also injured somewhat, but not seriously.

Contracts Let.

The county board yesterday let the contracts for the Elk creek and Big Butte creek bridges to Wm. C. Daley, whose bid was the lowest submitted in each case. The Elk creek bridge will cost the county but $600, a very low figure; while the bridge across Big Butte creek will be constructed for $700. The board acted wisely in attending to these structures at this time, as at this season lower bids can be secured than later on. The bids on the Elk creek bridge ran from $900 to $1600 in amount, four different parties having figured on the probable cost.

Religious News.

Rev. F. S. Noel will hold services at the Catholic church in Jacksonville next Sunday, at the usual time.

Rev. Father Clark of Roseburg will occupy the pulpit of the Catholic church in Jacksonville Sunday after next, and Rev. F. S. Noel will hold services at Roseburg on the same day.

The following are Elder M. Peterson's appointments for the month of May: First Sunday at Mound school-house at 11 o'clock A. M., and at night at Eagle Point; Saturday night preceding second Sunday at Gold Hill; second Sunday at Woodville; third Sunday at Central Point and fourth Sunday at Medford.

Simmons Liver Regulator

Is what the name indicates a regulator of that most important organ, the liver. Is your liver out of order? Then is your whole system deranged, the breath offensive, you have headache, feel languid, dispirited, and nervous, no appetite, sleep is troubled and unrefreshing. Simmon's Liver Regulator restores the healthy action of the liver.

HERE AND THERE.

Band contest next Monday.

The county hotel has a boarder again.

Streets and roads are quite muddy again.

Everybody is happy, because of the rain.

Some snow fell on the higher hills during the week.

Howard Bros. made the TIMES office a call yesterday.

There will be but little need of irrigation this summer.

Do not fail to attend the band contest next Monday.

The best cider vinegar for sale cheap at S. F. Variety Store.

Cost and freight is all Fisher wants. His goods must go.

Taxes are now delinquent and subject to costs of collection.

Bro. Jacobs of the "Record" visited Roseburg this week.

Three families from Iowa settled on Foots creek recently.

J. S. Higinbotham of Medford made us a call a few days since.

Straw hats from 15 cents to $2.50 each at the S. F. Variety Store.

W. M. Pence of Trail creek precinct called one day last week.

Peter Chavner of Gold Hill spent several days in town this week.

Babbitt-metal for sale cheap at the TIMES office in quantities to suit.

The summer travel to the resorts in the the Siskiyous has begun.

A marriage in high life will take place in Jacksonville next Sunday.

Herrin, the photographer, has located permanently in Lakeview.

Something over $6000 in delinquent taxes was returned by the sheriff.

G. W. Gibson has been to Klamath city, Cal., on a tour of inspection.

Strawberries are beginning to make their appearance in southern Oregon.

Lake county will this year market the wool from 220,000 head of sheep.

The best potatoes can be had at the S. F. Variety Store for 50 cents a sack.

Miss Emma Smith of Grant's Pass paid Foots creek a visit one recent day.

W. J. Nichols and G. W. Selph of Sam's valley were here during the week.

Jos. Wilson will be in charge of the big Klamath ditch during this season.

Real-estate transactions are increasing. Note the list in our columns this week.

First-class cedar fence posts for sale in quantities to suit at the TIMES office.

Manuel Miller of Phoenix spent Tuesday in town, being here on bridge business.

Lewis Sivers' team took a spin on its own account not long since, but did no damage.

Messrs. Hamrick, Leever and other residents of Central Point called yesterday.

Old papers, in quantities to suit, for sale at the TIMES office at 50 cents a hundred.

A number of persons were designated by the corporators to receive subscriptions for stock and will in due time wait upon the farmers and business men of their respective neighborhoods. The books have already been opened for subscription, and the manner in which stock is being taken is gratifying to observe. Our people are awake and alive to the necessity existing for a good local fair association, and, as they from the prospect of securing the district fair.

The oldest son of W. H. Parker is quite sick with fever at his father's farm near town.

Fresh crop oranges, lemons, figs, etc., at the S. F. Variety Store. The best in the market.

N. Hosmer of Foots creek was offered a large sum for his flue farm, but would not accept it.

The grass is better in the hills than has been known for years, and is getting better every day.

Aaron Beck of Evans creek has sold his homestead rights to Mr. Moore, lately from Kansas.

If you want genuine bargains, don't fail to call on N. Fisher. He is selling out, and no mistake.

Notes, accounts, due-bills, drafts, etc., in book form, handy and first-class, at the TIMES office.

A second-hand blackboard and set of harness, for sale cheap. Apply to Union livery stable, Jacksonville.

Some damage has been done to young shade trees about town by predatory cows during the past week.

The fare on the stage-line running between Azer, Cal., and Linkville has been reduced to $5 a trip.

Miss Alice Mathews is teaching the Foots creek school, which recently commenced with 27 pupils.

The largest stock of French candies—fresh and nice—has just been received at the S. F. Variety Store.

The sheriff's sale of land near Phoenix did not come off as advertised last Saturday, there being no bidders.

Send the TIMES to your friends East, or at any other place. It answers better than all the letters you can write.

Jos. Solomon is boxing his goods for shipment to Port Townsend, W. T., where he will engage in business soon.

The S. F. "Examiner" is the best paper on the coast. Don't fail to leave your subscriptions at the TIMES office.

The probate and county commissioners' courts are in session this week. Full proceedings will be given next week.

Phil Riley of Medford precinct is quite ill. Rev. F. S. Noel, his spiritual adviser, paid him a visit Tuesday evening.

Fitzgerald, the fiddler, has bought the "Sixo fly," a little boat plying between Linkville and Keno in Klamath county.

Several of the visiting bands who will participate in the contest next Monday will arrive on Sunday, we understand.

Pound-plugs of Climax tobacco only 50 cents each at the S. F. Variety Store; other goods in proportion. Call and see.

Parties desiring to build in Tolo this spring will be furnished lumber, brick and building material at the lowest price.

A few copies of the American Settlers' Guide, standard authority on all land matters, may be found at the TIMES office.

Several new divorce cases are engrossing the attention of the circuit court this week. There are others contemplated, we learn.

G. R. Gallant & Co.'s new advertisement should be read by everyone needing hardware, tinware, agricultural implements, etc.

The recent rains have put more water in the ditches about town than was afforded at most times during the last winter season.

Several thousand dollars of the taxes uncollected on April 1st have been paid and the delinquent tax list is not a very large one.

Numerous residents of Medford and vicinity attended the funeral of Carlos Goddard at the Jacksonville cemetery yesterday.

Jacksonville lodge, A. O. U. W., enjoyed a private social last evening, which was participated in by many members of the order.

Do you suffer from scrofula, salt rheum, or other humors? Take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. 100 doses one dollar.

G. H. Curry has retired from the management of the Ashland billiard hall which is now being conducted by P. W. Paulson and M. N. Long.

D. L. Beever has engaged the services of a first-class painter and is conducting the business of the late R. N. Anderson in the best manner.

It is rumored that Willis & Woodward have sold a one-third interest in their marble quarry near Roseburg to San Francisco parties for $16,000.

Messrs. Geer and Rippey have been engaged in hauling the stock of goods sold by A. H. Moagy of this place to G. R. Gallant of Central Point.

The foundation of the Catholic church at Ashland is completed and the framework well under way. The building will be finished next month.

Wm. Allen has resigned his position of steward at the county hospital and is succeeded by J. N. Jones. He will go east of the mountains soon.

The eldest son of District Attorney Colvig is suffering with a severe attack of cerebro spinal meningitis, but was so mewhat better at last accounts.

R. A. Miller returned from Portland last Monday. Both he and Col. Bowditch pronounce the Portland centennial demonstration a grand success.

W. B. Grubb and Alex. Zevely are in charge of the stock on the new Ashland and Linkville stage-line and seem to be doing a good business already.

Do not wait until to-morrow, when you feel sick, but take immediately a dose of Plunder's Oregon Blood Purifier and prevent a serious attack of sickness. It is the best liver regulator and blood cleanser in existence. Try it.

Some of the Australian wattle seeds sent by Tom Merry for distribution in southern Oregon still remain on hand at the TIMES office. Give them a trial.

C. J. Tolman will have a position in the Alaska custom-house under Collector Max Pracht, and will leave for Sitka with his family sometime in June.

John R. Satterfield of Rock Point, the veteran fisherman, has been meeting with much success this season, landing a number of monstrous trout.

Wheat is still declining in the coast markets, and with the phenomenal crop now coming on low prices will doubtless rule through the entire season.

Circuit court will adjourn in a few days, as Judge Webster will be compelled to go to Lakeview to hold the May term of circuit court for Lake county.

The Monarch saloon at Medford, under the management of H. H. Wolters, is proving a popular resort. The best of everything in that line is kept there.

M. T. Walters will probably sell the noted racehorse "Al. Farrow" before his return from California. He has a standing offer of $10,000 for the animal.

Teachers will find a fine, large assortment of monthly reports, rewards of merit, and other blanks in their line, at the TIMES office. Prices quite reasonable.

Dave Smith, formerly of Lakeview, is now employed in a bank at Port Townsend, W. T. Robt. Wilkinson holds a case in the "Argus" office at the same place.

The road-workers in Trail creek precinct will open the new road up Elk creek next week, blasting out several rocky points in order to shorten the route and avert heavy pulls.

John Wilson of Central Point precinct had one of his legs severely injured not long since by a log rolling over it, and has been compelled to go to the county hospital.

Jas. Sutherland and Jas. Evans, two well-known horse-trainers, are now located near Pleasanton, Alameda county, where they are handling a large number of trotting horses.

The amendment to the stock inspector's law, passed by the last legislature, places the salary of the inspector of Jackson county at $200 per year, besides special inspection fees.

Supt. Mitchell will hold his regular quarterly examination of applicants for teachers' certificates at the county-seat on the last Wednesday in this month. See his notice elsewhere.

The Ashland board of trade last week issued a ten-thousand edition of a folder descriptive of Ashland and this valley. It will be extensively circulated throughout the coast and the far east.

The Tolo Townsite & Milling Company offer lots for $50 each—$10 cash, balance in monthly payments of $5 a month. For full arrangements, call on or address the secretary, Scott Griffin.

J. W. Sowden is acting as general agent for the Jacksonville Marble Works, which is turning out a large quantity of superior cemetery work. If you wish anything in his line give him a trial.

Capt. Kelley has received his commission as receiver of the Drewsy (Malheur county) land office, and this week forwarded his bond to Washington for approval. He will leave for his future home soon.

The nobblest and latest styles of hats, shirts, neckties, collars, cuffs, scarf pins, collar-buttons, etc., in southern Oregon can always be found at the S. F. Variety Store. Call and see for yourselves.

Messrs. Klippel & Curtis have negotiated for a saw-mill plant, to be erected on their timber land on Gall's creek, and will at once begin work on the mill site and make arrangements for framing the necessary buildings.

Our citizens will soon take steps towards arranging for a first-class fourth of July celebration. Jacksonville gave way to the other towns last year and will this year furnish amusement for the public on independence day.

For chapped hands, roughness of the skin, pimples or blotches of any kind on the face or other parts of the body, apply Dutard's Specific. It works like magic and is warranted by the druggist. Sold by E. C. Brooks.

The junior band of Roseburg will arrive here on next Sunday's morning train and will remain until after the contest on the 13th. The boys have been giving open-air concerts recently and their playing is much admired.

California fruit men are already negotiating for the crop of peaches from some of the orchards in this valley. A large number of young orchards will come into bearing here this season and much fine fruit will be shipped out.

Rheumatism is caused by an acid in the blood; therefore, external treatment affords no permanent relief. To eliminate the poison and make a thorough cure of the disease, purifying the blood is sufficient. Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Give it a trial. Price $1. Worth $5 a bottle.

DePratt & Crawford's law office in Portland is located at 454½ Washington street, corner of Second, where they will always be pleased to see their friends. They will not abandon their practice in this county, which has been extensive.

Mamma (to her little boy). "Now, Bennie, if you'll be good and go to sleep, mamma'll give you one of Dr. Ayer's nice sugar-coated cathartic pills next time you need medicine." Bennie, smiling sweetly, dropped off to sleep at once.

Much interest is being manifested in the organization of an agricultural fair society in this section. There was a large delegation from different portions of the county at Jacksonville last Saturday, when further steps toward that end were taken.

A millsite, millrace and sidetrack will be furnished by the Tolo Townsite and Milling Company, for a nominal sum, to any responsible party who will put up a flour mill at Tolo. For particulars address or call on the secretary, Scott Griffin.

Wm. Payne of Sam's valley was last Saturday exhibiting some beautiful specimens of variegated marble taken from a large ledge on his land on Sam's creek. It is as hard almost as granite, takes a beautiful polish, and the ledge is practically inexhaustible.

Frost was threatened several times during the past fortnight, but as yet has failed to make its appearance. There is now hardly any doubt but what the fruit crop will be immense. Frost cannot do much damage, as the trees are too far forward.

For the best turnouts for all occasions call at the Excelsior livery stable in Jacksonville. Plymale's prices are quite reasonable and he never fails in giving satisfaction. You will also do well to patronize his stage line running between this place and Medford.

Jeff Griesby of Central Point precinct has a peach tree which is a marvel of productiveness, very few of its blossoms have resulted in less than a double peach each, while as high as four or five peaches are now growing nicely where nearly every one of the other blossoms sat.

Beekman & Linn have had a large force of men engaged in building a new road to connect their extensive belt of timber land west of town with the main Jacksonville road. They have ordered a large and first-class saw-mill and will engage in manufacturing lumber, etc., as soon as possible.

The Lakeview "Examiner" says that N. Langell having declined the proffered position of receiver of the Lakeview land office, C. U. Snider, an old and well-known resident of Lake county, has been recommended for the place by Senators Mitchell and Dolph and Congressman Hermann.

Do you ever have pains in the back and loins? If you do, attend to them now; don't wait, delays are dangerous. Nip the disease in the bud and save your health and doctor's bills. A few doses of Oregon Kidney Tea will prevent Bright's Disease and insure your health, comfort and happiness. Sold by E. C. Brooks.

Observe F. Hubbard Sr.'s advertisement of farming implements, etc. Mr. Hubbard has succeeded in building up a fine business at Medford in the agricultural machinery line, and deservedly stands high among the farmers of the valley for square dealing. His leaders are the New Giant Plow Co.'s goods and "Standard" mowers. Examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

City Marshal Bachelor, of Tulare city, Cal., was in Ashland last Friday, on the track of M. C. Stewart, who had left that city with out making good a shortage of $350 in his account with the Odd Fellows' lodge there, of which he was secretary. Stewart had been here, but started southward before Bachelor arrived, and was arrested in California.—Tidings.

The ladies of the Methodist church in Jacksonville gave a very successful entertainment and supper in the lower story of the Odd Fellows' building on Tuesday evening, at which was served a fine repast, including ice-cream. The net proceeds were something over thirty dollars, which were applied on the pastor's salary. The ladies who managed the affair did well.

Now is the time of year when the approaching spring season reminds us that some token of kind remembrance will be welcomed by our friends. What present would be more acceptable than a fine photograph or crayon of the giver, made by Logan, the Ashland photographer. He always has the latest novelties in finish, and if you call at his gallery you will learn something new about pictures.

EDITOR OF THE TIMES:—Please announce in the columns of your valuable paper that we are agents for St. Patrick's Pills, the most perfect cathartic and liver pills in the market. They not only physic, but cleanse the whole system; purify the blood and regulate the liver and bowels; they are vigorous but gentle in their action and can always be depended upon. For sale by J. W. Robinson and Engel Bros., Phoenix.

It was maintained by the late Horace Greeley that "nothing succeeds like success!" If this be true, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will always be popular, as it never fails. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and is undoubtedly the best and most reliable medicine in use for those diseases. It is decidedly a success. For sale by J. W. Robinson and Engel Bros., Phoenix.

Our farmers are beginning to be distressed about granary and storage room for the phenomenal crop now coming on. The yield of wheat bids fair to be fully 50 per cent greater than ever before known, for the favorable farming weather last January and February tempted farmers to put in every available bit of ground, and the crop is now looking unusually well.

The O. & C. R. R. Co. evidently has a number of thieving train hands, as many of our merchants have had articles stolen from the original packages on different occasions. Tropical fruits seem to suffer most, the S. F. Variety Store having lost nearly half a case of oranges several times in this manner; and those in power do not seem to pay any attention to this matter, although they have been notified of it.

Derangement of the liver covers a multitude of ailments. In all cases where the functions of the liver are interrupted or disturbed, and the bile, its constituent secretion, left circulating in the blood, some disorder will follow. Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic will restore the liver to its natural duties and promote the secretion of bile, thereby preventing jaundice, dyspepsia, biliousness and other ailments. Sold by E. C. Brooks.

The prospect for higher prices for wool are not brilliant, but there is a more hopeful feeling in the towns to the north of us. The "Statesman" says some Marion county wool growers have been offered as high as 18c per pound, and one farmer reports an offer of 20c for his spring clip; but we don't believe it. The numerous woolen mills that will be put in operation on the coast this summer should better the local market very appreciably.

Many young ladies are ruining their complexions by the continued use of poisonous cosmetics and so-called face washes. The greater number of these preparations contain mineral poisons, that in time shrivel up the skin and give the appearance of dissipation and old age. Dutard's Specific is not a paint, but a great beautifier, inasmuch as it removes all blemishes from the skin, instead of covering them. Effects are perceptible with one application. Sold by E. C. Brooks.

Three days is a very short time in which to cure a bad case of rheumatism; but it can be done, if the proper treatment is adopted, as will be seen by the following from James Lambert of New Brunswick, Ills.: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right today, and would insist on every one who is afflicted with that terrible disease, to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." For sale by J. W. Robinson and Engel Bros., Phoenix.

MEDFORD SQUIBS.

Don't fail to call at the 5 and 10 Cent Store at once.

Vernon Phillips, a first-class job printer, has leased Phelps' job office.

New goods and new bargains in every line at the 5 and 10 Cent Store. Call and see.

Millinery goods—new, handsome and fashionable—at the 5 and 10 Cent Store, at prices that will astonish you.

E. C. Phelps and family, who have been residents of this place for sometime past, have returned to their old home at Yaquina bay. Success to them.

Dr. Minnis and Mrs. B. Tyler who were married here a few days since, started north at once. They have the congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends.

Nine carloads of lumber from Josephine county were unloaded here last Tuesday. This is only one evidence of the great amount of improvement going on in this place.

Milton Harlan, who has been in Cheyenne, Wyoming territory, for sometime, arrived here during the week and will take charge of the mechanical department of the "Mail." He is a son of Thos. Harlan.

Dr. C. Minnis has located at Roseburg, where he found many persons who knew him east. He is a first-class physician and surgeon and a thorough gentleman, and we have no hesitancy in recommending him.

H. H. Wolters, the mixologist, has reopened the saloon formerly kept by A. H. Carlson, thoroughly refitting it and making many improvements. He has supplied it to the trade with the finest wines, liquors and cigars, and a fine billiard table can also be found there. Give him a call for he will treat you well.

A marriage license was issued by the county clerk, a few days ago, to Tra A. Phelps and Miss Ella Rice of Medford, and they have since been married. The happy young couple have many friends in the valley and elsewhere, who wish them much joy and prosperity.

The One Thing Needful.

The chief problem that will confront our growing towns along the line of the railway in a very short time will be the providing of employment for the working men of the community. The fruit interest will furnish employment in its various lines of picking, packing, canning, drying and handling to numbers of men, women and children during a limited period; but it behooves those who desire the permanent prosperity of these growing towns to inaugurate manufactures of some kind that will prove profitable and afford a livelihood to at least a portion of those who will find themselves idle ness when the work of building up the towns begins to flag. Among the feasible schemes which are easily within reach of moderate capital, and which could not fail to be highly remunerative to the manufacturers, we might enumerate a creamery, a tannery, a straw-board factory and a mill for the manufacture of oatmeal. The quality of oats raised in this valley is so notedly good that a mill for its reduction into oatmeal would be assured of a market for its entire output at a high figure. The town which takes the initiative in this matter of providing employment for its idle population cannot fail to reap a rich reward for its foresight, and now is the time to formulate plans and form companies to carry them into execution.

Another Fruit Foe.

Considerable consternation was caused in town during the past week by the discovery that some miserable imported immigrant of a fruit pest had been preying upon the magnificent cherry crop in town until on some trees there is scarcely a sound cherry left. "Disgust" doesn't begin to express the feelings of those who for a generation have been accustomed to enjoying the finest cherries in the universe, at thus having their supply cut off. A few specimens of wormy fruit were not ced last season, but this year it is abundant in this section. If this is a new pest in horticulture, we suggest that it be called the Geehogitall Cherrieus, to indicate its cheerful disposition.

The Ladies Delighted.

The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

A Narrow Escape.

"For want of a nail, a shoe was lost; for want of a shoe, a horse was lost; for want of a horse, a rider was lost." Never neglect small things. The first signs of pneumonia and consumption can "positively" be checked by Dr. Acker's English Remedy for consumption. For sale by E. C. Brooks.

Selling Out at Cost.

I am now offering my entire stock of fine dress-goods, staple and fancy groceries, clothing, boots and shoes, etc., at less than cost. Parties desiring to secure bargains will find it to their advantage to call at once, as everything must be sold immediately. I am desirous of closing out my business, and will give great bargains.

NEWMAN FISHER.

Lost

On April 15th, between Jacksonville and Medford, a yellow goatskin robe. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the TIMES office or at J. O. Johnson's office in Medford.

Jacksonville to Medford.

Patronize the only wagon that connects with every train, rain or shine, and carries the U. S. mail and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JOHN DYER, Driver.

To Sheep Raisers.

Little's patent sheep dip, wool sacks, fleece twine, for sale at Nunan's, Jacksonville.

Seed Potatoes.

A few choice seed potatoes can still be found at the S. F. Variety Store, Jacksonville.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. C. Walker of Ashland made us a call last Tuesday.

Ex-sheriff Dean paid Jacksonville a visit yesterday.

L. A. Simon of Ashland is canvassing Klamath county.

John A. Hanley and wife were in Jacksonville on Tuesday.

H. H. Blecher is in Klamath county looking after his interests.

W. S. Griffis of Lake creek was in Jacksonville one day last week.

Rev. E. E. Phipps of Grant's Pass made our town a visit this week.

Miss Victoria Chapman of Ashland visits her old home in Iowa this month.

Rev. J. A. Slover has located a homestead claim in Table Rock precinct.

Prof. Farley, the veteran school-teacher, visted Jacksonville a few days since.

Elder M. Peterson of Central Point was in town yesterday, as also was J. Parks.

C. W. Taylor and Wm. Ray, county commissioners, are in town on official business.

W. T. Leever and wife of Central Point precinct visited Jacksonville a few days ago.

W. R. Buck and Chas. Long of Union-town precinct tarried in town one day recently.

Mrs. G. A. Hubbell of San Francisco will pay her old home in Oregon a visit next month.

Robt. Taylor of Ashland, the genial deputy sheriff, spent a few hours in town last Monday.

C. B. Watson of Ashland, attorney-at-law, was at the county-seat several days this week.

E. D. Faudray of Phoenix and Geo. H. Lynch of Wagner creek were in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Maria Colver of Phoenix is quite ill with a complication of diseases, we are sorry to learn.

Mrs. H. Truitt, hostess of the lower Shoveel creek springs, spent a day in Ashland lately.

J. E. Harvey, one of the pioneer residents of Central Point, paid our town a visit last Saturday.

A. Burns of Ashland precinct and Jake Wrisley of Central Point precinct made the TIMES a call Tuesday.

R. C. W. Evans of Ashland goes to Montana this week to look after some valuable mining property he owns there.

D. B. Soliss and J. P. True and their wives, Granville Naylor and other residents of Griffin creek were in town lately.

Govan High of Ashland has been visiting Grant's Pass, and Nate High of the last named place has been visiting Jackson county.

Messrs. D. S. Young, W. I. Vawter, T. A. Harris and J. Goldsmith of Medford were in town on legal business last Monday evening.

Mrs. W. B. Rice and children of Ashland have been visiting friends and relations in Portland, Salem, Albany and Eugene during the past week.

Fred Croxton, Ben Dimick and Geo. Carr of Josephine county have been at McAllister's springs on Butte creek on a pleasure trip.

C. T. Harris of Ashland is spending a few days on Puget sound, and will go to Dakota to dispose of some real estate before returning to Ashland.

Mrs. Annie Satterfield of Ashland has been visiting the Sound cities during the past week, and from there will go east to revisit her old home in Massachusetts.

Geo. W. Edwards of Talent recently returned from a three weeks' sojourn in California. He will handle a portion of the fruit crop of this valley again this season.

J. P. Mattingly, representing Frank Bros., the prominent agricultural implement house of Portland, was in the valley during the week, and paid the TIMES office a call on Monday.

Hon. E. L. Smith of Wasco county, speaker of the last house of representatives and master workman of the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. of Oregon, is in the valley on business pertaining to the order.

John Arnold of Iowa, a brother of Mrs. John Hockenjos and Geo. Arnold of this county, is with us again. He was so well pleased with Rogue river valley during his previous visit that he has concluded to remain here permanently.

W. L. Webster, accompanied by Wm. Moody and wife, will go to Klamath county this week. Mr. M. and wife will stop at Keno, while Mr. Webster will go to Linkville to prepare for the manufacture of soda water there.

C. W. Ayers of Ashland accompanied his wife and little daughter as far as Hornbrook last week, on their way to visit friends at Fresno, California. Mr. Ayers has several houses in Siskiyou county under contract, to be built during the summer.

Hon. J. D. Whitman of the state horticultural board attended a local horticultural society meeting at Myrtle Point, Coos county, last Saturday. Much business is being taken in matters pertaining to fruit culture throughout southern Oregon at present.

Dr. B. M. Gill has been at Klamath city since Monday of last week. We learn that he will put in a stock of drugs at that place and remove his family thither in a few days. Our neighbors over the line will find the doctor a thorough gentleman as well as a reliable physician.

Jas. McDonough of Willow Springs and J. H. Stewart of Eden precinct are at Roseburg to-day, attending the meeting of the southern Oregon state board of agriculture. The board will organize to-day by electing a president and secretary, but it is not probable that any action will be taken at present relating to the location of the district fair.

Newspaper Law

For the benefit of all who may seek to swindle the newspapers out of their just dues, we publish the following which is the law relative to the subject of the first editorial column in many of our exchanges:

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to continue their subscriptions.

2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their periodicals the publisher may continue to send them until all arrears are paid.

3. If subscribers neglect to or refuse to take their periodicals from the office to which they are directed, they are held responsible till they have settled their bill and ordered their paper discontinued.

4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publisher and the papers are sent to the former direction, they are held responsible.

5. The courts have decided that refusing to take periodicals from the office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for "prima facie" evidence of intentional fraud.

6. Any person who receives a newspaper and makes use of it, whether he has subscribed for it or not, is held in law as a subscriber.

7. The postmaster who neglects to give the legal notice of the neglect of a person to take from the office the newspaper addressed to him, is liable also to the publisher for the subscription price.

Expand the Mind

By seeing as much as you can of the world. But ere you set out either as a tourist, commercial traveler or emigrant—whether you go by rail, steamship or steamboat, provide yourself with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which the traveling public recognizes as the finest medical safeguard and preventive of sea sickness with which any one journeying by land or water can be provided. It furnishes to the western pioneer adequate protection against malaria, rheumatism, and those disorders of the bowels, which miasma taunted water begets. Its relative effect upon a stomach perturbed by the rocking of a ship is truly magical, and it is a capital appetizer and nerve invigorator. Excellent is it for biliousness and kidney inaction, and it counteracts, in a remarkable degree, the effects of fatigue, physical or mental. After wetting and exposure in inclement weather, it should be used as a preventive.

California Cat-Ru-Cure.

The only guaranteed cure for catarrh, cold in the head, hay fever, rose cold, catarrhal deafness and sore eyes. Removes the sense of taste and unpleasant breath, resulting from catarrh. Easy and pleasant to use. Follow directions and a cure is warranted by all druggists. Send for circular to Abletine Medical Company, Oroville Cal. Six months' treatment for $1; by mail $1.10. For sale by all druggists.

An Excellent Work.

The publishing and advertising agency of Ballard & Co., 155 Washington St., Chicago, have published a book on Oregon, Washington, &c., of great value. It is a good advertising medium for northwestern business men. Another edition of 25,000 will be issued May 1st, or before. Other editions will follow.

Sweet Potato Plants.

The under-signed, living near Medford, has 60,000 choice sweet potato plants, which he offers for sale in quantities to suit and at a reasonable figure. Call on or address

D. R. HILL, Medford, Or.

She is "Grateful."

"I saved the life of my little girl by a prompt use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy for Consumption."—Mrs. Wm. V. Harrison. For sale by E. C. Brooks.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

LOCAL NOTES.

Little Butte creek is full of fish.

Col. Ross' condition is still precarious.

W. H. Shook is now located in San Francisco.

R. A. Cook of Foots creek was here Friday.

Mrs. W. J. Stanley is still quite low with pneumonia.

There is a temporary lull in the real-estate market.

Wm. Stafford of Eden precinct called a short time since.

We have had some very warm weather during the week.

Who said southern Oregon was threatened with a drouth?

Many minor improvements are taking place in Jacksonville.

Ed. Booth and C. D. Cardwell were at Linkville at last accounts.

There is a great rush for school land and little of any value remains.

W. Prefontain, who now resides at Merlin, was in town this week.

I. W. Thomas and J. B. Wrisley visited the county-seat a few days since.

Senator Mitchell has our thanks for a liberal supply of public documents.

Gaylord Bell has gone to Grant's Pass to enter the employ of the S. P. D. & L. Co.

W. A. Cook of Foots creek will be stationed at Applegate during the summer.

John Miller's orchard fence in town is being whitewashed by Frank Kasshafer.

Geo. Mickey of Gall's creek has lost a horse and elsewhere advertises to that effect.

The board of trustees will hold their regular monthly meeting next Tuesday evening.

Richard Thomas of Oakland, Or., the well-known hotel-keeper, died a few days since.

Donohue Bros. of Ashland had a mill one day this week, a la Marquis de Gooseberry rules.

B. Bailey of Medford and W. Lipky of Little Butte precinct called during the week.

L. Rodenberger of Medford and I. D. Smith of Butte creek were here a few days since.

R. A. Miller has hung out his shingle and occupies a desk in W. H. Parker's law office.

C. T. Harris, W. G. Tanner and J. H. Mitchell of Ashland made us a visit this week.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to David Reid and Miss Urana L. Fredenburg.

B. F. Taber of Evans creek, who is building a fine, large barn for Wm. Bybee, is ready to raise the frame thereof.

Geo. Mickey and Sam Lawrence of Gall's creek are cutting a large quantity of wood for the railroad company.

Thompson & Brown, who are digging a well in the cemetery, struck a very rich paystreak of gravel last week.

Farmers are taking much interest in our prospective county fair. It will be of much benefit to the entire valley.

It is reported that A. H. Maegly has sold his stock of goods, and the purchaser will move to Central Point.

Messrs. Woodrum, Fenkhausen, St. Dennis and Lewis, San Francisco commercial tourists, were here this week.

Capt. Holton requests all the Indian war veterans of this and Josephine counties to meet at Grant's Pass on May 18th.

Some little alfalfa hay was caught in the shock and windrow by the rain yesterday but cutting had not generally begun.

A heavy rain commenced falling yesterday evening, which continued most of the night. All crops are well nigh assured now.

Jos. Solomon gives notice that he must have an imm