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WORK is being pushed to completion on the Roseburg and Coos bay railroad. More men are being put to work every day and new camps are being established along the route.

THE Washington *Gazette* says that Mr. Harrison found his Indiana fences much out of repair. The Gresham wave had washed out some of the posts, and the Reed boom had blown down some of the top rails.

MR. HAYES says that the McKinley tariff is "the most terrible blow that has been struck at the Republican party during its existence." If he had said the "business interests of the country" he would have been exactly right.

NEXT Tuesday will tell the tale, in the many states which hold elections on that day, whether the people endorse the McKinley bill and its increase of tariff on nearly every necessity of life or will condemn the wholesale robbery of the masses through the workings of that notorious measure.

THE Brooklyn and Louisville base-ball clubs are now playing a series of games for the championship of the world. Brooklyn won the national league's pennant last season, while Louisville won more games than any other club in the American Association. The former is in the lead so far, and will probably be successful in the end.

SO GREAT have been the profits realized by the fruit-growers in California during the last few months that large additional tracts of lands, especially in the San Joaquin valley, have been planted with fruit trees. The fruit-growers of southern Oregon have also realized better prices than ever this season, which will no doubt stimulate the industry to a considerable degree.

ANOTHER monumental fraud has again turned up, as will be seen by the following item: "Charles Meserve has sold the *Oregon Mail*, published at St. Helens, Columbia county, to J. H. Stine, the bilk, and well-known as a starter of newspapers in Oregon. Mr. Messerve will devote his energies to the building up of the Oregon city *Enterprise*, which he purchased recently."

ONE of the principal objections we have to the bill proposed by the senate committee to which was referred the assessment laws of our state is that it does not provide a method to reach the foreign corporations and individuals who loan large sums of money in Oregon and never fail to take advantage of an opportunity to dodge taxation. We think that these bloated money-lenders should bear their share of the taxes.

WE quite agree with our neighbors of the press that it is about time the Oregon legislature was doing something to retain the trade of southeastern Oregon for this valley and Portland by providing a good wagon-road, by state appropriation or otherwise, across the Cascades. The Klamath basin cannot have too many good roads to the S. P. line, and the present road to Ager is more beneficial to California than to Oregon merchants and jobbers.

REPUBLICAN promises, made before the presidential election, have as yet failed to materialize. Instead of the general prosperity that was to follow the election of Harrison and a Republican house of representatives, we have a general fear of a panic, to be averted only by the interference of the general government, hard times and prices for necessaries of life going higher and higher under the influence of the McKinley bill. What a change from two years ago, when everybody had more or less money to squander on the result of the election.

SOUTHERN OREGON's political parson says he made some discoveries in the college matter. The people of Lake and Klamath counties who sent him to the legislature also made some discoveries they did not expect, after he got to Salem. While McLean is slinging mud at such a lively rate and impugning the motives of people whose shoes he is not worthy to polish, he should remember the scriptural invocation concerning the mote and the beam. To put it mildly, McLean's legislative career was so unsatisfactory and so totally at variance with his pledges to the people who sent him there that he was publicly denounced by members of his own party.

THE prudish editor of the Salem *Journal* visited Portland's industrial fair and came home very much disgusted because some handsome statues and paintings by distinguished masters were display there. He thereupon delivered himself of a manifesto against "the nude in art," which must have rocked the studios of the originators of his highly moral wrath. Anthony Comstock certainly feels proud of this latest accession to his virtuous ranks. Upon one of the excursions that took place during the last session of the Oregon Press Association last August, several of those who participated well remember the scene that occurred on board of the steamer which carried the excursionists. If we are not mistaken, this same critic was one of the principal actors; and he and his lady companion did not appear to good advantage, either. Whatever may be said against "the nude in art," we much prefer it to the jassack in public.

THE Democratic Congressional Committee has issued a campaign handbook for the election of 1890, which should be in the hands of every Democratic voter. It is not a handbook of general political information so much as a political history of the past two years. Beginning with the party platforms, it tells the story of how Montana was stolen from the Democracy; how the force bill originated and why it was postponed; details Speaker Reed's rules and rulings on each point; gives the story of the new states, how they were admitted and the reasons; summarizes the acts in each of the contested election cases, and devotes a dozen other chapters to prominent questions that have arisen within the last two years or that are likely to come before voters. One of the most valuable of all the chapters is that on tariff taxation, which includes a careful analysis of the McKinley tariff law and how it compares with others. The price is 50 cents by mail. The subscription and orders should be sent to the treasurer, James L. Norris, No. 224 New Jersey avenue, Washington, D. C.

MCLEAN studiously avoids to assign the main reason for his virulenous course in the college matter. Like the hypocrite and falsifier that he is, he sets up a straw man and then proceeds to beat him to death. Everybody can easily see through his ganzy pretensions of solicitude for the welfare of his church and the people. The principal and only reason why he has acted so dishonestly and scandalously is because he wants the college located at Grant's Pass. For this choice nobody would blame him, and had he made an honorable fight at the proper time all would have given him due credit. The county-seat of Josephine county offers many inducements for this institution. But that is not McLean's style. He would rather win by trickery every time. So, instead of assisting to carry out what the Presbytery had agreed to do at its meeting in Jacksonville, he sets about to thwart the expressed wish of that body. It is the general opinion that the Presbytery has deliberately stultified itself, if nothing more. The people of Jacksonville had entered into the agreement in the best faith and had made good their first proposition. But this pugnacious and unscrupulous besoiler of the religious ermine had systematically bulldozed the majority of his colleagues, and when the proper time came they laid the whole matter on the table, rather than take the bull by the horns and let McLean know outright what they think of him secretly.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Berlin *National Zeitung* states that Chancellor Von Caprivi will also go to Madrid, where he will stay three days. This renews the reports that communications are being exchanged looking to a concerted action by Germany, Austria, Italy and Spain in retaliation for the new tariff legislation by the United States.

AND now it seems that the world's fair is to be classed with the numerous things injured by the new tariff law. The latest European advices say that the majority of manufacturers refuse to send any exhibits to Chicago, taking the ground that it would be a useless expenditure of money for them to do so, as the duties imposed by the new tariff law are so high as to practically shut their goods out of the American markets. Without foreign exhibits the world's fair will be but a travesty upon its name.

THE committee appointed by the last legislature to draft a bill remodeling the present taxation and assessment laws has been in session at Salem for sometime and have a bill ready for presentation to the next legislature, a synopsis of which will be found on the first page of the TIMES. According to this report the usury law will be allowed to remain, but the repeal of the mortgage-tax law is recommended, while it is proposed to permit no deductions on account of indebtedness. We will not make any comments until we secure a full text of the bill.

THE late high winds which have been raging off the Oregon, Washington and California coasts caused the sea to be so rough at the mouth of Rogue river that for several days boats could not cross the bar to Ellensburg. The divers who are engaged in lower Rogue river wear shoes that weigh twenty-eight pounds each. These divers are assisting in clearing the river of snags, so that the steamer Katie Cook can run from the mouth up to Painted Rock, a distance of twenty-four miles, or about eighteen miles below the mouth of the Illinois river.

MCLEAN says that the building of the railroad between Jacksonville and Medford was one of the conditions of the location of the college at Jacksonville, and that when he found out that the road would not be built he turned against the acceptance of the proposed site. McLean here delivers himself of three deliberate falsehoods—but that is nothing for him. The Presbytery did not make the location of the college conditional upon the building of the branch railroad; the said enterprise has not fallen through, and he has been laboring assiduously for the past year to thwart the wishes of the Presbytery.

THE TIMES has received an invitation to be present at the celebration of Hon. Allen G. Thurman's 76th birthday, which occurs November 13. The anntversary will be celebrated by the Democrats of Columbus, Ohio, at the Judge's residence, in a marked manner testifying to the hold the "Old Roman" and statesman of the old Democratic school still has upon the best element of the party. A banquet is to be given in his honor, and ex-President Cleveland and other leaders of the party are expected to be present, and the occasion will be a notable one.

LITTLE BOBBY MCLEAN's most enjoyable amusement is after the style of the pot, which thought to extinguish the kettle by calling it black. He is always engaged in blackguarding, befouling and slandering somebody, hoping to thus bring them to his own ignoble level. He is despised by his religious brethren, shunned by his neighbors and cordially hated by everybody who ever had any extensive acquaintance with him. And yet this thing stands on his hind legs, flaps his ears and proceeds to dictate the location and foundation of a Presbyterian college, where it is hoped to educate the coming generation in what is noble, pure and enlightened. Away with yon hypocrite, schemer and slanderer!

THE cannerymen of the Columbia river have awakened to the fact that the tariff is a tax. Since the passage of the McKinley tariff bill tin for canning purposes commands $6 10 per hundred-weight, against $4.80 at the corresponding season last year. The increase in the tariff is $1.20 per hundred, so it is easy to figure out what causes the advanced price, says the Eugene *Guard*. In this connection we may state builders of substantial improvements will have to go deep into their pockets to pay for the pleasantries of Republican protection. Tin, paints, common and plate glass, cement and lumber have all increased in price. Who receives the benefit? No one has heard of any increase in wages. The manufacturers will be enabled to contribute more "fat" at the next presidential election.

THE people have but little knowledge of the laws that are made by our biennial legislatures. Oregon should follow the example of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, New York, Massachusetts and other states, where all legislative enactments are published in the newspapers. As both Republicans and Democrats pay taxes and have an equal interest in the matter, the publication of these laws should not be doled out as partisan pap, but be allotted impartially to the newspapers of both parties. The publication of the proceedings of the county court is also of much importance. In this county, at least, the local papers have for many years each month incurred this trouble and expense without any recompense. In many of the eastern states this sacrifice is not expected from the printer. The publisher of a country newspaper has to work hard the year round, and the public should reasonably recompense him, to its own benefit, for the publication of the proceedings of the county court and the acts of the legislature. Bills of this nature will be presented at Salem the coming winter. As in Wisconsin and other states, the law should also be made obliging sheriffs to have the county tax lists published in the local papers of general circulation whose bid is the lowest, says the Oregon city *Courier*.

PRESIDENT SAMUEL of the Press Association has issued the following circular: "A majority of the members of the Oregon Press Association have by correspondence signified their intention of furthering any scheme which may be unanimously decided on respecting an appropriation by the coming legislature for the Oregon World's Fair Exhibit. As it would be impracticable to hold a special session of the association at this season of the year, I have appointed a committee of fifteen to meet and discuss the subject and recommend their views to members of the association. In selecting this commitee I have been careful that it shall be composed of gentlemen representing every section of the state and both political parties, as I am anxious that neither sectionalism nor politics shall be introduced into the question. The following gentlemen will compose the committee: C. S. Jackson, *East Oregonian*, Pendleton; Amos K. Jones, *Scout*, Union; I. B. Bowen, *Democrat*, Baker city; John Michel, *Times-Mountaineer*, The Dalles; A. Noltner, *World*, Portland; H. W. Scott, *Oregonian*, Portland; O. P. Mason, *Farmer*, Portland; F. S. Harding, *Telephone-Register*, McMinnville; F. Conover, *Gazette*, Corvallis; F. P. Nutting, *Democrat*, Albany; C. Y. Benjamin, *Plaindealer*, Roseburg; Chas. Nickell, DEMOCRATIC TIMES, Jacksonville; E. Hofer, *Journal*, Salem; I. L. Campbell, *Guard*, Eugene; E. A. Weed, *Astorian*, Astoria. A meeting of the committee of fifteen is hereby called for 10 A. M., Tuesday, November 11, 1890, at the city of Portland."

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well.

John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg; doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by E. C. Brooks.

Shakes and Shingles.

A supply of the best shakes and shingles has just been received at the TIMES office which will be sold in quantities to suit at reasonable rates.

JOSEPHINE COUNTY ITEMS.

Grant's Pass now has over 400 pupils enrolled in her public schools.

Thos. Basye, formerly of Applegate, is now a resident of Douglas county.

Everybody is busy and hands are very scarce in the vicinity of Grant's Pass.

Messrs. Casteel and Blalock of Douglas county were visitors at the Pass last week.

C. E. Harmon, county assessor, is now in charge of the school in district No. 20.

The census gives Josephine county's population at 4844. In 1880 it was 2485, or a gain of 2359.

A great deal of improving is going on everywhere in the county, and especially at Grant's Pass.

James O. Rogers and Miss Alice Banister were among cupid's captives during the past week.

The apple crop of Josephine county is rapidly being delivered at the county-seat for shipment.

D. Vineyard of Williams was at Jacksonville this week with a load of fine fruit and vegetables.

There is not a case of diphtheria in Grant's Pass or Josephine county. The health of this section is good.

L. Vance of Wilderville is doing a good business, having a nice stock of goods and selling at the lowest prices.

The copper ore which has been at the Grant's Pass depot was shipped last week by Col. A. J. Straight.

Reub. A. Jones has returned to his mines after a tour through British Columbia accompanied by his family.

Mrs. Frank Niday and her little daughters, Nellie and Della, of Lucky Queen, were in Douglas county last week.

J. B. Hutch is again playing Boniface at the Palace hotel at Grant's Pass. Of course he gets a good run of custom.

A grand ball is announced for Friday evening, Nov. 14th, at Wilderville, with music by Prof. Helman of Ashland.

W. T. Perkins, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s agent, reports the express business at Grant's Pass sharing in the general revival of trade.

Health on Williams creek is much improved. The several cases of sickness reported in former issues of the TIMES are improving fast.

Burglars stole a quantity of clothing and some small change from the residence of William Neurath of Grant's Pass one night last week.

Harry Lambert now conducts the saloon business formerly owned by Alex Ireland. He is a first-class mixologist and has lots of friends.

All of the new bridges that the S. P. Bridge Company contracted to build in this county have been completed and are constantly in use. They are fine structures.

Lewis Hays, a leading farmer and produce raiser, says that the market for garden and farm produce this fall is better than he ever knew it to be before in Josephine county.

A huge pile of timber fell upon Walter Simmons at Galice creek, breaking both bones of one leg. Mr. Simmons has been unfortunate this year, this being his second serious accident.

The property belonging to W. Razee, which was recently sold by Sheriff Moss to satisfy an execution issued at the instance of G. Karewski of Jacksonville, was bid in by the judgment creditor.

We are sorry to learn of the death of W. R. Fanning, which occurred at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. H. L. Robertson, on Rogue river. He was a pioneer of northern California and southern Oregon.

Thos. A. Ireland was in Glendale last week, and has purchased property on Main street. He will build a large restaurant and also a saloon on the same at once, having sold out his property in Grant's Pass.

Closer examination of Alex. Watts' coal specimens from lower Rogue river indicate that the mines down there will prove a vast source of wealth when placed within marketable distance of the outside world.

T. Shattuck raised some magnificent specimens of turnips this season, three of which would easily fill a bushel box. Ordinary straplead purple tops attained a weight of fully 12 pounds, while Swedish varieties frequently weighed two or three pounds more.

Mails were somewhat irregular last week between Grant's Pass and Crescent city, Cal., owing to a dispute as to whether or not R. Gaspet could stop the C., O. & I. Co.'s stages from running over his toll-road on their refusal to pay toll. He definitely settled that he could do it, for he did stop the stages and the mails for five successive days.

The Grant's Pass Board of Trade is in active correspondence with other sections of southern Oregon, trying to secure co-operation in maintaining an immigration board in Portland. This would be only a slight tax on each city, says the "Courier," and the results that would be accomplished by keeping a representative from this section in the metropolis, provided with literature and exhibits, would be very valuable.

Josephine's accessable farming lands amount to 75,052 acres, valued at $380,405; town lots, $150,095, and improvements, $468,604, making a total of $969,104, which, added to a gross assessment of all personal property of $497,360, makes the gross value of all property. The $1,177,... [illegible] as total indebtedness assessor returns [illegible] exclusive of exemptions, leaving [illegible] of $777,959, indicating a tax-rate [illegible] cent was of $15,548.56 at an assessment [illegible] mills on the dollar.

KLAMATH COUNTY ITEMS.

Alex. Martin, Sr., this week returns to Oakland, Cal., for the winter months.

Geo. Nutley, the Fort Klamath shoemaker, has opened a shoe shop in Linkville.

W. E. Bowdoin returned from his trip to the Industrial fair at Portland last week.

Amos Lundy and wife of Bly visited friends in Rogue river valley during the week.

Fred. Lehners of the big store at Montague was in Linkville last week on business.

Prof. H. G. Fairclo is successfully training the young idea how to shoot, this season.

Edgar Ball obtained a yield of 30 bushels of wheat to the acre on his Lost river ranch.

Circuit court for this county commences next Monday. There will be a long term.

The furniture of Judge Smith's new hotel was hauled out by teams during the week.

J. V. Sly has returned from Shasta valley and rented the Indian Spice near Keno.

Gen. John F. Miller is at his Marion county home for the winter, having left Klamath last week.

A. D. Carrick was made glad by a visit from his father, the Yreka blacksmith, during last week.

Most of our farmers are busily sowing grain or preparing the sod for another stupendous crop.

Rev. A. F. Lott has returned to Linkville after his recent unpleasant experience at Presbytery.

Geo. B. Landers of the Ashland flouring mills was at Linkville during the week, whooping up trade.

Jesse and M. H. Parker of Sprague river were in Rogue river valley after supplies during the week.

Hon. E. F. Walker of Jackson county was at Linkville and Keno during the week on land business intent.

J. T. Arant last week went to Ashland to meet his family on their return from Douglas county.

After a pleasant visit with her husband and son in this county, Mrs. Ab. Giddings returned to Ashland last week.

Miss Susie McClellan last week returned home to Montague after closing her fall term of school at Poe valley.

Wm. Hazen rented his father's ranch at Poe valley after his return home last week and will reside there in future.

F. S. Gwinn passed through Linkville on his return from a ride through northeastern California, one day last week.

The opening and improving of the Pelican bay route to Ashland has induced numerous settlers to locate in that section.

There are almost 120 pupils enrolled in the Linkville schools at present, an increase of nearly 50 per cent. since last year.

G. B. Wagnon of Salem returned home last week, after selling the landed interests of his wife and himself to Chas. Swingle.

W. J. Henderson, well-known in freighting circles, passed through Linkville on his way south from Spokane Falls last week.

Griffith Bros.' threshing-machine has about completed a most successful season in Poe valley. They have done excellent work.

Among California cattle-buyers in our herds recently were Messrs. Blackburn, Gerber Bros., Hayes, Mitchell, Grons and others.

Ralph Roberts has been writing numerous insurance policies during the past few weeks. He is a rustler and knows how to talk insurance.

Martin Farrar and John Lovelady were among the freighters who piloted the hotel company's furniture over from Ashland last week.

Mrs. Wm. Spence and Miss Alice were tendered a pleasant farewell party by the residents of Pelican bay, before their departure last week.

In sympathy with the recent advance of wheat to 75 cents per bushel, flour is now selling at $22.50 per thousand at the roller mills.

The serious illness of Lindsay Applegate was reported last week, causing much solicitude among his many friends, owing to his advanced age.

The new stage on the Ager route, brought on from the Stockton factory last week, insures more comfort in winter traveling than we have been accustomed to.

Chas. Nickell will be at Linkville next week, in the interest of the TIMES, and will also receive money on accounts due the TIMES Publishing Co. Those owing the latter should be prepared to settle.

The Linkville marshal and ex-officio poundmaster is ready for proposals from sausage factories, having inaugurated the fall campaign against unlicensed canines.

Don't forget that Graves & Lipsett are still in the field with a large and first-class stock of hardware, implements, etc., and sell as cheaply as anybody.

Cole's house and outbuildings near Keno were burned last week, involving a loss of $800. No insurance. Fortunately his grain had not been hauled in and consequently escaped destruction.

The "Star" last week reported that the half-breed Reub White, who ran foul of a club at Otey's ranch in Siskiyou county, Cal., some time since, died from the effects of his injuries during last week.

There is a crying need of more houses to rent in Linkville and more school-room to accommodate the great number of families who wish to avail themselves of our superior school privileges, all of which shows that our town is growing rapidly.

In common with several other portions of Oregon, Klamath county has this year suffered more or less from a visitation of typhoid fever. Our citizens should pay close attention to the purity of their drinking water and thoroughness of drainage in future and avert what can be easily avoided in our pure mountain air.

The Klamath county blood-horse association are preparing for a trotting race on their track in the county, for a purse of $150, to occur in August, 1891, limited to Klamath county-bred foals of 1889. Entries close January 1, 1891. J. O. Hamaker of Bonanza is secretary of the association. This is a step in the right direction, and the lively youngsters of this valley will insure a most interesting race.

MEDFORD SQUIBS.

Take a look at Nickell's addition.

A. A. Davis was in Portland on business during the week.

Miss Ida Cook of Applegate has become a resident of this place.

Lewis Palm has gone to Salem, after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Do you want a watch you can depend on? See Pritchard's patent dust-proof cases.

Judge Walker last week returned from a trip north and will remain at home for the winter.

Davis' warehouse sports a new sign of large size, "Medford's Merchant Miller, A. A. Davis."

Bert Whitman will put in the winter months at Heald's business college at San Francisco.

Hazen Little, who was a resident of this place during the spring months, is now engaged in the real-estate business at McMinnville.

J. H. Faris has returned contented from his northern trip and will continue to reside in Medford.

W. J. Ward of the railroad force left Medford Saturday last for a residence in California.

Chas. Wilkinson of this precinct spent the week near San Francisco, visiting his brother who resides there.

Hon. Willard Crawford will soon return to Medford from Athens to reside, having already rented a residence.

Don't fail to see the new line of goods at Pritchard's in Medford. "Quick sales and small profits is his motto."

Don't fail to buy a lot in Nickell's addition to Medford. The tract adjoins the west boundary of our town.

Mrs. D. J. Lumsden returned home last week after attending at the deathbed of her father at Topeka, Kansas.

W. G. Cooper was among Medford's visitors to the Portland exposition last week, as was also Johnny Bellinger.

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

J. D. Whitman, after inspecting southern Oregon's display of fruits at the Portland exposition, last week returned home better satisfied than ever that we have here the fruit section, par excellence, of the coast.

J. W. Enyart proved to be the boss hunter of the deer-slaying expedition to the Umpqua divide, in which he was accompanied by Messrs. Palm, Robinson, Redden and Hutchinson, last week.

Nickell's addition to Medford is again commanding attention since the branch railroad, which will run through it, has become a certainty. It contains many choice lots, which will be sold at reasonable rates and on the most favorable terms.

The district Sunday-school convention is in session, and Medford is entertaining quite a number of delegates thereto from Klamath and Josephine counties, as also different parts of Jackson county. Much interest is being taken and everything is passing off nicely.

Arthur Langell of Klamath county was in Medford lately to see his little son. He informs the TIMES that Joe Bron has his ranch in Langell valley that he had to quit cutting before he had touched half of it. Last winter's snow was a good thing for Klamath county, in this way, he says.

H. H. Wolters, the mixologist, has removed his saloon to the building next door to C. W. Palm's barbershop, on Front street. He has supplied the bar with the finest wines, liquors and cigars, and a fine billiard table can also be found there. Drop him a call, for he will treat you well.

DR. DARRIN'S CURES.

"WAS SORE QUICKLY BY ELECTRICITY, ARE NOT OK.....FREE TREATMENT BUT ARE PERMANE.....WARRA. CONTINUED—THREE MORE BLE CURES TO RELATE

Editor Oregonian: For six years past I have been sorely afflicted with rheumatism and neuralgia. Of late I have been in almost constant pain in every muscle and part of my body. Had to walk the floor at nights, and had but little sleep for ten days past. Last Tuesday I came to Dr. Darrin for treatment by electricity, and to my great joy and satisfaction I am about cured and can now be seen at my home, in Buena Vista, Polk county, Or.

MRS. WM. DAVIDSON.

Instantly Cured of Deafness.

Editor Oregonian: For eight years prior to calling on Dr. Darrin I had been deaf, accompanied with ringing noises in my ears. Catarrh was a great source of annoyance—so much so that I could scarcely breathe through my nose at times. Dr. Darrin cured my deafness in ten minutes and the catarrh is nearly well.

T. H. OGLESBY, [illegible]

Another Remarkable Cure of Deafness.

To whom it may concern: For years I have been troubled with chronic catarrh. So troublesome had it become that I could scarcely breathe through my nose; had entirely lost sense of smell, and I became almost totally deaf, accompanied with ringing noise in my ears. After a course of electric and surgical treatment by Dr. Darrin I am perfectly cured of my deafness and buzzing noises. Refer to me at Kalama, Wash. JAMES FLANNAGAN.

Osborn Hotel, East Portland.

Drs. Darrin can be consulted daily at the Washington building, corner of Fourth and Washington streets, Portland. Hours, 10 to 5; evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 12. All chronic and acute diseases, blood taints, loss of vital power and early indiscretions permanently cured, though no references are made in the press concerning such cases, owing to the delicacy of the patients. Examinations free to all, and circulars will be sent to any address. Charges for treatment according to patient's ability to pay. The rich and poor treated free of charge with electricity from 10 to 11 daily. All private diseases confidentially treated and cures guaranteed. Patients at a distance can be cured by home treatment. Medicines and letters sent without the doctors' name appearing. N. B.—Dr. Darrin has a branch office at the Umatilla Hotel, The Dalles, November 3d to 8th.

MINING NEWS.

Miners are preparing for next season's run.

Notices for the location of placer and quartz mines, etc., for sale at the TIMES office.

The shaft at the Frakes mine near Waldo is down but 11 feet, and yet the quartz shows up well.

Chadwick, Hughes & Co. intend to develop their copper mine near Waldo to some extent during the next few months.

Bailey's quartz mill on Missouri flat has shut down for the season, after a good run. They have considerable good ore still in sight.

Superintendent Ogilbe of the Pacific Mining Co. of Grave creek reports everything in readiness at their mines for a big season's run.

The American Mining Code, standard authority on all subjects pertaining to all mining, water-rights, etc., is kept for sale at the TIMES office.

The completion of the branch railroad will witness renewed activity in the foothill mines, for low-grade ores can then be shipped to advantage.

An order for the latest improvements in mining machinery delayed the shipment of Dr Flanagan's stamp mill somewhat. After exhausting the ore in his mine near town he will remove the mill to his ledge on Applegate.

Last week a large party of representatives from the leading copper mining interests of this coast visited the famous deposits near Waldo and spent several days in examining into their richness and the ease with which their product can be marketed. Their unanimous opinion seemed to be that this will prove one of the greatest copper finds of modern times. The visiting gentlemen were: Thomas Couch, president of the Boston & Montana copper mine, of Butte city, Montana; Angus McQueen, chief manager; D. M. Evans, chief chemist and assayer of the Anaconda copper company; E. W. Roberts, mining expert of the railroad company, and A. C. Cabel, a well-known mining man of Montana.

LOCAL NOTES.

H. C. Lewis of Medford was here one day this week.

Jas. Barager of Kerbyville has been granted a pension.

Peter Chavner of Gold Hill was one of the visitors this week.

A. D. Carrick of Linkville is visiting relatives and friends in Yreka.

Mrs. H. D. Kubli of Applegate returned recently from her visit to Portland.

Don't fail to hear Dr. Dobbs' lecture at the Presbyterian church this evening.

Grandma Garrett of Ashland, the mother of Robt. M. Garrett, died a few days since.

The book-keeper of the S. P. D. & L. Co. of Grant's Pass visited Jacksonville a few days since.

S'quire Purkeypile of Central Point precinct and W. M. Plymire were here one day recently.

Wm. Bybee has returned from Happy Camp, Cal., and will soon send down a drove of hogs.

S. B. Gardner of Fort Klamath passed through town to-day, while on his way to Curry county.

Judge Willard Crawford returned from Umatilla county yesterday, and will locate among us again.

Andrew Taylor of Klamath county was in Jacksonville last Saturday with a wagon-load of fine butter.

J. McReynolds of Foots creek was here last Saturday on peculiar business. John, we tender congratulations.

There is not a single case of diphtheria in Jacksonville, and only two have been known to exist here in many years.

Miss Anna Grisez entertain[illegible] a number of her friends at the residence of Mrs. S. R. Taylor one evening last week.

L. H. Maxwell of Portland, a member of the Orchard Home Association, was in Jacksonville at the beginning of the week.

Chas. Bennett of Big Applegate, who shot himself several weeks ago, died last week, after twenty-one days of intense suffering.

Wm. and Ralph Vining of Tacoma, Wash., spent a day with relatives in Jacksonville this week, accompanied by their mother.

Mr. Pauless, a nephew of Mrs. Kime of this precinct, arrived from Indiana a short time since and will spend several months in the valley.

J. P. True of Medford, one of our leading citizen's called to-day. He informs us that the infant child of J. M. Guches died day before yesterday.

D. Linn, who owns one of the best orchards in this section, has been hauling a large quantity of the finest apples we ever saw to Medford for shipment.

Major Barron, C. B. Watson, H. C. Dollarhide, W. H. Shepherd, N. Conklin, J. N. Phillips and P. H. Donohue of Ashland precinct were at the county-seat during the week.

The ladies will find McAllen & McDonnell the best firm in Portland to trade with. They have the nicest and largest stock in the metropolis to pick from and are thoroughly reliable.

Geo. R. Neil and Wm. L. Miller two of Jacksonville's popular young men, will leave for Los Angeles, Cal., in a few days, to accept positions in that city during the winter months. Success to them.

Sheriff Birdsey surprised his friends by taking unto himself a wife last Wednesday. Owing to its sickness the wedding was a very quiet one. We wish them a long life of unalloyed bliss and prosperity.

We received a pleasant visit last Saturday from Q. N. Anderson, who returned from a visit to his old home in Texas last week. He thinks Oregon will compare favorably with any section he saw during his travels.

Mrs. Hauser's 65th birthday was last Monday celebrated at the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. M. Krause, who gave a handsome dinner party in honor of the event. A number of Mrs. H's most intimate friends were present who had an enjoyable time.

J. B. Cunningham, for sometime a prominent business man of San Jose, Cal., and Miss Minnie Rose of Central Point precinct, one of our best-known young ladies were united in marriage at the Catholic church in Jacksonville last Wednesday morning, Rev. F. E. Clark officiating. The happy couple left on the evening train for Portland, Oregon, where Mr. C. will establish a branch of Nolan Bros.' San Francisco shoe store. They have the congratulations and best wishes of a multitude of friends.

CENTRAL POINT POINTERS.

We are being visited by some intinerant photographers.

Fred. Hogg and wife have returned from their trip to Iowa.

[illegible] sells furniture cheaper than Gildersleeve.

Furniture of all kinds at Gildersleeve. Finest stock south of Eugene.

Prof. Kurth, J. W. Miller and W. E. Berry are no longer residents of this place.

Miss Mattie Morris' postoffice address will be Linnton, Kentucky, for the next few months.

No need of sending to Portland for furniture. Gildersleeve keeps a fine assortment and sells at the lowest rates.

The son of Mrs. S. E. Baker of Central Point returned home a short time since, after an absence of several years.

Wm. E. Norcross, who owns the first-class nursery near Central Point, is making preparations to do a much more extensive business than ever.

T. J. Neff, who lives near this place, has raised some of the finest tobacco ever grown in Oregon. It is of first-class quality and could be manufactured into a very salable article.

WOODVILLE WHITTLINGS.

Three carloads of oak wood left this station by one train last week for Medford.

John Woods is improving his house and fences. John expects to get 50 cents per pound for his hops this year.

Jesse Neathammer raised 5000 pounds of beans at his place on Evans creek this year. That is pretty good raising beans on a small scale.

Jones & Otten have a big squash on exhibition, raised by L. Sivers on Evans creek. Jones says he'll bet the cigars that it weighs 150 lbs.

Z. E. Simpson of Orland, Cal., who has been paying his father-in-law, C. E. Wilcox, and his family of this place a visit, left for home Tuesday.

T. Hutchison returned home a few days ago from Applegate, where he has been employed for several months by Messrs. Bailey at their quartz mill.

The Chinese have been superseded by white men at this station. This is as it should be, and we hope the S. P. Co. will put white men all along the line.

P. Henderson and wife of Medford have been paying Mrs. H.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilcox, a visit; also Mrs. James Cunningham of Ashland.

S. W. Miles is flying around like a book agent and looks ten years younger than last week. Did you say what's the matter? It's a boy, born on the morning of the 25th.

Our literary society meets regularly every Friday evening. The whole community seems quite interested, and the house is always full. The question argued last week was: Resolved, that the dog is of more benefit to mankind than the gun; and the dog got away with the bone.

DEMOCRAT.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shreut, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption beats them all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it. Free trial bottle at E. C. Brooks' Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c. and $1.00.

Farm For Rent.

The Centers farm on Bear creek, containing 160 acres, is offered for rent. For further particulars enquire of

MRS. S. E. ISH.

Jacksonville Precinct, Oct., 2d 1890.

DRS. DARRIN IN ASHLAND.

THEY ARE TO VISIT ASHLAND FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, OCT. 29TH TO NOV. 1ST, AT "THE OREGON."

These far-famed physicians, who have a world-wide reputation throughout the northwest, have been prevailed upon by parties in this vicinity to visit Ashland. One of the doctors will open offices at "The Oregon," for one week only, from Oct. 29th to Nov. 1st, and the opportunity should not be lost to consult this famous physician. He comes highly recommended and laden with testimonials from throughout the state, and the authenticated reports of his cures seem nothing short of miraculous. His office consultation is free, so that should there be any cases that are incurable he will immediately discover them, thus saving their patrons any further expenditure of money and time, which they might otherwise squander.

Unlike other physicians who have become eminent in their profession, the doctors' charges are extremely moderate, and they will not undertake any cases that they cannot cure or benefit.

Drs. Darrin make a specialty of diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and all nervous, chronic and private diseases, such as Loss of Manhood, Blood Taints, Syphilis, Gleet, Gonorrhœa, Stricture, Spermatorrhœa, Seminal Weakness, or Loss of Desire of Sexual Power in man or woman.

All peculiar Female Troubles, Irregular Menstruation, Leucorrhœa, Displacements, etc., are confidentially treated, and will under no circumstances take cases that they cannot cure or benefit.

Their office hours are from 10 to 5 daily. Evenings 7 to 8.

Cures of private diseases guaranteed and never published in the papers. Most cases can receive home treatment after a visit to the doctor's office. Inquiries answered and circulars sent free.

Read the following testimonials of remarkable cures.

NAMES THAT CAN BE REFERRED TO.

Henry Slough, Macleay, Or.—Deafness, fifteen years; restored.

Wm. Hunter, Eugene City, Or.—Catarrh twenty years; cured.

Volna Webster, Weston, Or.—Catarrh; cured.

R. H. Rice, 32 B street, Portland—Heart disease; cured, three months since.

Ed. Hynes, Albina.—Catarrhal deafness; restored.

P. C. McFarlane, Vancouver.—Sciatic rheumatism; cured.

Geo. C. Scotten, Albina, Or.—Ringing noises in the ear and deafness; cured.

J. R. Cunningham, Wapinitia, Wasco county, Or.—Total deafness two years in one ear and partially so in the other; cured.

Mrs. J. E. Smith, Prineville, Or.—Nervous debility and general weakness, almost bordering on insanity; restored.

Henson McCoy, Dufur, Wasco county, Or.—Deafness and terrible pain in the ear and head for six months, until he was nearly crazy; restlessness and insomnia. Restored to health by electricity after all other treatments had failed.

Wm. Parrott, Middleton, Or.—Deafness many years; cured.

E. Anderson, Salem,—Catarrh seven years; cured.

D. W. Emmett, Salem—Deafness ten years; restored.

George H. Hamilton, 32 Stark street, Portland, stopgage of the tear-duct cured.

Jos. Moore, St Charles hotel, Portland, polypus in the nose fifteen years, cured.

Wm. Kahler, aged 72 years, Jacksonville, Or., deaf in one ear 30 years, cured.

Miss Lucy Moran, Monmouth, Or., cross eye straightened in one minute.

Mrs. S. A. Wooden's girl, 94 Columbia street, Portland, nervous debility and malarial fever and discharging ear, restored.

Wm. Anlow, Dewsey, Grant county, Oregon, catarrhal deafness and ringing in the ears for twenty years, perfectly cured.

Mrs. S. W. Metzger, Gresham, Oregon, dyspepsia, liver complaint and pain in the stomach twenty-three years, restored.

Mrs. C. Magenau, Portland hotel, Portland, rheumatism, neuralgia and female troubles, cured permanently one year ago.

C. Hiese, seven miles west of Fulton, Ore., liver and kidney trouble, dizziness and pains all over the whole system, restored to health.

Chas. Brugger, Reedville, Oregon, almost total blindness from effects of suicide, restored after all other doctors said he was past cure.

Mrs. L. Matt, on, East Portland, Oregon, catarrh, bronchitis, and nervousness and sleepless nights and a discharging neck cured and gained twelve pounds.

D. I. Grasham's child, Springfield,