The Democratic Times

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CROP WEATHER BULLETIN NO. 7.

The following is the report of the Oregon Weather Bureau for the week ending Saturdas, April 25th:

WESTERN OREGON.

Cool, cloudy weather with rain prevailed during the week. There were some general light frosts, which did no damage, on the 19th and 20th, and some hail fell in various sections on the 23d, doing no damage. Along the coast and in the Willamette valley from one to two and a half inches of rain fell. In southern Oregon less than an inch of rain fell. The temperature ranged from one to two degrees a day below the average for the week. There was sunshine at intervals, but far from the average amount.

The rain was very beneficial to crops on uplands. On the lower land seeding is not all done and it will now be further delayed. Fall-sown wheat and oats have fine growths and in sections it is being pastured down. Spring grain that has been sown is doing finely. The fruit crop is thriving and all trees are generally in full bloom. Present indications point to a phenomenal fruit crop this year. Hops have good growth, being from one to two feet above the ground. The hop acreage has been increased. More potatoes than usual have been planted. Straw and other small berries are coming on finely and all promise to be plentiful. Lambs are doing well. Preparations are being made for shearing, which will be in full blast next week. The week closes with most favorable prospects for western Oregon crops.

EASTERN OREGON.

The weather has been more cloudy during the past week than for a long time and light rains were general. Over one-half an inch fell throughout the section. The temperature has been slightly below the average with occasional light frosts.

The rain that fell was needed, for the soil was becoming dry and late-sown grain was not germinating. The rain gives renewed vigor to grain already up and greatly assists that not yet appearing. The rain that fell is worth a vast sum to the wheat fields. Prospects were never better for the wheat crop than they are at the close of the present week. The increased acreage and more favorable weather will produce a much larger crop than the phenomenal yield of last year. Grass on the range is growing and furnishing good feed. Stock are flattering. Shearing is in progress. Fleeces are large and wool of good quality. Fruit promises unusually well. In Wasco county there has been a largely increased acreage in watermelons. Vegetables in gardens are growing rapidly. As in western Oregon, the prospects were never better for bounteous crops throughout eastern Oregon.

B. B. PAGUE,
Observer U. S. Signal Service.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The following proceedings have taken place in the circuit court for Josephine county since the last report of the TIMES:

McCrosky & Dixon vs. Job n S. Cheatham; to recover money. Judgment by default.

John Hannum vs. Ann Hannum; suit for divorce. Dismissed.

N. DeLamatter was appointed bailiff to the grand jury and S. Axtell bailiff for the term.

J. W. Howard vs. J. T. Layton; dissolution of partnership. Dismissed.

The grand jury returned true bills against Frank and Geo. Mitchell and Wm. Pratty for burglary. Not a true bill was returned in the case of Tuos. Scott.

J. J. Stone vs. C. M. Stone, First National Bank, et al.; in equity. Leave granted to amend demurrer.

School District No. 7 vs. E. C. Newell; to recover money. Motion to strike out part of complaint overruled.

James Wright vs. D. H. Burroughs; transcript from Jackson county. Dismissed.

State of Oregon vs. Wm. Pratty, Frank and Geo. Mitchell; indicted for burglary. Defendants enter a plea of guilty and Frank Mitchell sentenced to three years' imprisonment in the penitentiary and the others to one year's imprisonment each.

F. D. Keye vs. J. J. Stone; to recover money. Judgment for $26; and costs.

Winer Bros. vs. Anna F. Smith, et al.; to foreclose mortgage. Testimony taken.

S. P. D. & L. Co. vs. A. J. Wolcott; to recover money. Judgment by defendant.

H. H. Sparlin vs. J. N. Gotcher; injunction. On trial.

Railroad Extension.

A large number of citizens of Eagle Point were at the railroad meeting at Central Point last Monday evening. The residents of that section want a railroad and want it badly, but are not very particular what town they connect with on the railroad through the valley. It would be of immense benefit to the whole country to have a railroad in operation to the Butte creek region, and if Central Point secures the plum it will not be impossible for the R. R. V. R. R. company to lease the S. P. railroad between Medford and that place and run through trains from the county-seat to the water power on Butte creek. One crew could operate the whole plant, via any route, and all the towns of the central valley would thus be connected with bands of steel and within a few hours communication at any time. The connection of Butte creek with Jacksonville is a consummation devoutly to be wished. By many it is thought it would be preferable to extend the present road from Medford to Eagle Point by another route. Which one will be taken is, of course, in doubt.

Indian War on the Klamath.

An Indian row occurred on Klamath river, 4 miles below Cole bar, on April 6th, in which two Indians were killed and some others seriously wounded. The difficulty grew out of a superstitious notion that an Indian known as Snelling gave an Indian girl some kind of medicine, under the influence of which she was seduced from the home of her parents. Snelling and another Indian were killed by Sambo and his son, and others who tried to stop the trouble were wounded. Some Indians from the Oregon reservation made the attack on the Hamburg bar Indians, and there is likely to be more trouble, as the Scott Valley and Happy Camp Indians, as well as half breeds, are coming to settle the difficulty without the necessity of the county taking any hand in the affair. The Indians who shot the others have escaped to Oregon, where they came from.—Yreka Journal.

A Greedy Company.

The Alba Heywood troupe seems to be working the "guarantee and contract" racket on all the towns they visit to as good advantage as they worked it here, only judging from the papers that come through the press one is led to infer that the citizens who guarantee the stipulated amount are not always as fortunate in getting out whole as they were in Medford. It is risky business for the citizens, though good management on the part of the troupe. We think that our people will not bite again, however. Heywood's contracts are couched in very deceptive language, and it would deceive a Philadelphia lawyer to unravel them at the first glance. His entertainments are surely not better than those given by many other companies on the road, and we are unable to see why he should be paid so much better than they.

Dunn–Pape.

R. R. Dunn, manager of Staver & Walker's extensive branch house at Walla Walla, Wash., and Miss Emma Pape, a young lady who grew to womanhood in Jacksonville, were joined in matrimony at the residence of the bride's parents (ostensibly Mr. and Mrs. Pape) on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Robt. Ennis officiating in his usual impressive manner. The affair was a very quiet one, only the relatives and immediate friends of the bride being in attendance. An elegant wedding dinner was served after the ceremony. The couple soon afterward took the train for their future home, being accompanied to Medford by several of their friends. The contracting parties are well and favorably known in Southern Oregon and carry the best wishes of all with them to their new home.

A New Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the county clerk's office by the Southern Oregon Pork Packing Co., which is composed of Wm. Singer, Wm. Ulrich, W. I. Vawter, J. W. Hockersmith and E. Warman. The principal place of business is Medford, and the capital stock is placed at $25,000, divided into shares of $100 each. This enterprise will prove of great benefit to the whole of southern Oregon, as it will furnish a ready cash market for a great portion of the hogs which may be raised here in the future. It is the intention of the company to commence operations soon and have everything in readiness when the packing season commences.

An Effective Cure.

E. C. Brooks of Jacksonville, the oldest druggist in southern Oregon, has found a sure cure for la grippe. It is taken both internally and applied externally, relieving the cough and that fearful headache in five minutes. By repeating a few times the patient is cured permanently, well and sound. This has been used two seasons and has not failed in a case, where used as directed. People go to Brooks' drug-store in the morning to be treated and go home at night free from pain and feeling good.

Notice of New Survey.

The officers of the Roseburg land office give notice that the heretofore unsurveyed portion of townships 31 south, of range 15 west, to-wit: S ½ of sec. 12, all of sections 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 and 36, has been surveyed, and the plat of survey thereof will be filed in this office on the 14th day of July, 1891, and on and after said day they will be prepared to receive applicants for the entry of said lands in such heretofore unsurveyed portions of said township.

Our Candid Advice.

It is seldom that we appear in the role of spiritual adviser or family physician, but there are times when we feel justified in calling the attention of our many subscribers to an article of true merit. We feel justified in saying that Moore's Revealed Remedy contains more actual merit than any medicine it has ever been our good fortune to test. One trial will make you as enthusiastic as the writer.

Roll of Honor.

The following is a list of the pupils of Dist No. 46, whose average standing is 90 and over:

Florence Bolt, Jennie Knight, Rose O'Brien, Annie Herriott, John Pernoll, Fred Bolt, Lola Herriott, Ida Knight, Lydia Pernoll, Maud Byrne, Herman Offenbacher and Thomas Hendricks.

IDA M. WARE, Teacher.

The Best Result.

Every ingredient employed in producing Hood's Sarsaparilla is strictly pure, and is the best of its kind it is possible to buy. All the roots and herbs are carefully selected, personally examined, and only the best retained; so that from the time of purchase until Hood's Sarsaparilla is prepared, everything is carefully watched with a view to attaining the best result. Why don't you try it?

County Court.

The regular monthly meeting of the county commissioners and probate courts will be held next week.

HERE AND THERE.

Buy a White.

The White is still king.

Beautiful spring weather.

Take a look at Nickell's addition.

Horse and jack bills at the TIMES office.

Cures while you wait—Preston's "Hed-Ake."

Handsome straw hats at the S. F. Variety Store.

It cures headache only—Preston's Hed-Ake.

Rabbit meal for sale at the TIMES office.

Clay Charley is putting up a saw mill on Antelope creek.

Cures in fifteen minutes; Preston's "Hed-Ake."

W. Kissue has left this county for the Willamette valley.

Subscriptions to the weekly "Examiner" taken at the TIMES office.

This is May day and nature rejoices. It will be generally observed.

Sheep-shearing is in progress everywhere. A beautiful yield is certain.

More new goods were received at Nunan's temple of fashion this week.

Sam Geary has taken charge of one of the Mathews places on Butte creek.

Elegant straw hats for men, boys and children at the S. F. Variety Store.

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

Facts speak louder than words. Simmons Liver Regulator will always cure

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

All miserable sufferers with dyspepsia are cured by Simmons Liver Regulator

Attention is called to the card of Dr. Terry, who has located at Central Point.

First-class seed potatoes for sale at one cent a pound at the S. F. Variety Store.

Monthly installments of $10 will buy a house and lot in Tolo from Scott Griffin. *

There was a little frost one night last week, but it did no perceptible damage.

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

When you feel uncomfortable about the stomach take Simmons Liver Regulator.

Don't forget the party at Rose's hall on Antelopeate to-night. It will be a pleasant affair.

E. B. Hunsaker was at Ashland for treatment of a swollen limb during the week.

Mrs. E. Jacobs has our thanks for a liberal supply of matzos, or unleavened bread.

Abe Miller of Glendale passed through the county last week on his way to Lakeview.

Ten thousand feet of lumber at Sam's valleys hool-house for sale by Scott Griffin of Tolo.

Mrs. D. Fisher of Tolo is convalescing from an attack of la grippe, we are glad to learn.

A. H. Maegly recently sold two acres of garden land to Mr Beltzey of Portland for $1000.

Nothing like it for dyspepsia and indigestion. Simmons Liver Regulator is a safe, sure cure.

Work has been commenced on the new residence which will embellish the Cardwell farm.

Wm. Harris and wife were expected home at Ashland from Santa Rosa during the week.

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

Mrs. A. Cortez of Lakeview passed through Linkville last week on her way to the bay city.

A big assortment of fresh garden seeds, alfalfa, clover, timothy, etc., at the S. F. Variety Store.

Do not weaken the stomach with strong chemicals. Simmons Liver Regulator is mild but effective.

A nice line of straw hats of the most popular styles is being displayed at the S. F. Variety Store.

For the hardsomest gent's furnishing goods go to the S. F. Variety Store. New stock just received.

Reames & White are continually adding new goods of the latest styles to their already large stock.

G. W. Priddy, the Central Point brick manufacturer, called at the TIMES office one day last week.

C. C. Rogsdale came up from Colusa county, Cal., on business last week, but will not tarry long.

California strawberries and early vegetables are now feeding their way northward in large quantities.

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

Misses Mattie and Laura Collins, who have been at Sisson, Cal., for sometime past, have returned to Phœnix.

A fine line of trunks, valises and handbags of all sizes and prices has just been received at the S. F. Variety Store.

Wonder how much mail matter the young ladies, who swarm about the post-office every evening, receive?

Very popular, very small, very good. De Witt's Little Early Risers, the pill for constipation, biliousness, sick headache.

Chas. Yen, the Chinese contractor, talks of starting a cannery at Ashland during the coming of the next few months.

T. O. Andrews, now in the furniture business at Salem, was at Ashland with his family during the past week.

Southern Oregon needs a cannery more than anything else, and our citizens should take immediate steps to secure one.

Everything is growing nicely, the weather being just warm enough to be beneficial. The crop prospect could not be better.

A great deal of corn is being planted at this time and the crop will be a very large one unless something unforeseen happens.

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

Last Monday was the 72d anniversary of Odd Fellowship in the United States, and it was appropriately observed everywhere.

Major Chrisman returned to his duties as president of the Lakeview bank last week, after a winter's sojourn in Arizona.

J. B. Dyer of Talent was in Jacksonville on Monday, accompanied by a gentleman who will engage in prospecting in that vicinity.

Mrs. Chas. Williams of Gold Hill precinct died on Wednesday, after a lingering illness. She was a daughter of F. M. Fredenburg.

Fruit prospects continue first-class, and it seems as if it would be necessary to do much thinning after the fruit is firmly set on the trees.

Walter Farnham, who came from Portland a short time ago suffering from the ague, found that this climate cured him right away.

L. F. Christian in another column announces that he has lost two horses, for the recovery of which he offers a reasonable reward.

The presence of several horse-buyers in the valley last week, and the promise of others to come, is encouraging to farmers and ranchers.

Jacksonville's turn to celebrate the 4th of July will come this year, and the county-seat can be relied upon to get up a first-class celebration.

Evans creek has had a siege of the measles during the last two weeks, which has made pessimists out of a number of the younger generation.

W. P. Counts, the section boss at Tolo, last week bought 20 acres of valuable land in that section from Scott Griffin, the price being $75 per acre.

Wanted.—A good appetite. You can have it easy enough by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It tones the digestion and cures sick headache.

City Recorder Berry of Ashland advertises for bids for $5000 of city hall bonds, to run 15 years, bearing six per cent. interest, payable semi-annually.

Under the law lately enacted the California state treasurer recently sent to Siskiyou county $1700 for the support of indigent aged people.

G. B. Landers last week went to Seattle to take charge of his recently purchased hotel property there. He will soon be followed by his family from Ashland.

Should the presidential party not arrive in Ashland in daylight, the Oregon committee of reception will not meet them until they arrive at Salem.

Lewis' store at Ashland was burglarized on Tuesday night and Sheriff Birdsey has gone to investigate. No further particulars have been received as yet.

Those needing horse and jack bills will find that the TIMES printing establishment prints them better and cheaper than any other in southern Oregon.

Southern Oregon orchardists are paying far more attention to their holdings than ever before, and will get their orchards into prime condition before long.

In all diseases of the stomach, liver and kidneys, use to the exclusion of all other medicines, Nature's own remedy, Plunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.

The I. O. O. F. grand lodge of Oregon meets at East Portland on the 20th instant. The different lodges of southern Oregon will all send a full delegation.

Recorder H. Innes has been instructed by the county commissioners' court to index the mortgages, something that should have been done long ago.

Mr. McAllister, the driver on the Summer lake and Silver lake stage, last week was the victim of a runaway accident, by which he was quite badly injured.

K. Kubli, J. A. Boyer and Mrs. Frances Loy will attend the convention of Rebekah degree lodges at East Portland, May 18th, as delegates from our local lodge.

To expel the impurities in the blood and give strength to the system before the effects of warm weather are felt, use Plunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.

Allison & Walker are shipping a large quantity of their superior lime to points along the S. P. R. R. They will send 100 boxes to Grant's Pass this week.

L. Shelby, formerly with the Gage Keene troupe, has left Bryant, the elocutionist, and is traveling with Georgia Reed's troupe, which is now at Roseburg.

Wright's Jamaica Ginger—strictly pure. An excellent remedy for cramps, colic and where a tonic for the stomach and bowels is required. Sold by all druggists.

If it was known at what time the president and his party would arrive in southern Oregon, no doubt appropriate preparations would be made to receive him.

If food sours on the stomach, digestion is defective. De Witt's Little Early Risers will remedy this. The famous little pills that never gripe and never disappoint.

The largest and best stock of deeds, mortgages and all kinds of real-estate and legal blanks south of Salem is kept at the TIMES office and sold at Portland rates.

De Witt's Little Early Risers never gripe or cause nausea. Mild but sure, assist rather than force. Best little pill for sick headache, chronic constipation, dyspepsia

The sheriff will on the 30th inst. sell some valuable real-estate under execution issued out of the circuit court in the foreclosure case of Britt vs. Meeker, et al.

Constipation, blood-poison, fever! Doctors' bills and funeral expenses cost about two hundred dollars; De Witt's Little Early Risers cost a quarter. Take your choice

The Talent school is taught by Miss Ella Terrill; the school up Wagner canyon by Miss Della Cheney, and the Bell school by Miss Fickel. They are all excellent teachers.

The evidence in the Wimer-Wadleigh case has been taken, but the argument will not be made until after Judge Wenster returns from east of the mountains, at chambers.

D. Lyle Rice goes to Albany soon to take charge of the S. P. agency. His family will accompany him, and it is quite possible that he will make his future home there.

Hon. J. D. Whitman has our thanks for a copy of the first biennial report of the State Board of Horticulture, which is one of much importance to all engaged in fruit culture.

It is quite the fashion now to take De Witt's Little Early Risers for liver, stomach and bowel disorders. They are small pills, but mighty good ones. E. C. Brooks sells them.

Wheat is scarce in the valley and a good article commands 65c and upwards a bushel. Flour has also advanced, being quoted at $2.50 at the Medford mills at present.

The best remedy for headache and neuralgia is Wright's Gracious Headache remedy. Stops pain in five minutes. Harmless, tasteless, no bad effects. Sold by all druggists.

The proprietor of the U. S. hall in Jacksonville is enlarging and greatly improving the stage, so that it will answer the purposes of the best companies which will visit our town.

A summer friend—Wright's Blackberry Cordial. Once used always taken. Reliable and prompt. Pleasant to take. Indispensible for summer troubles. Sold by all druggists.

President Harrison and his party are expected to arrive in the valley next Tuesday; but as no definite time has been arranged we are unable to state where they will make any stops.

Purifies the blood, increases the circulation, expels poisonous humors and builds up the system. What more do you want a medicine to perform? De Witt's Sarsaparilla is reliable.

The railroad company have been cleaning up C street, in which they were joined by property-owners along said thoroughfare, and it now presents a much-improved appearance.

A beautiful skin, bright eyes, sweet breath, good appetite, vigorous body, pure blood and good health result from the use of De Witt's Sarsaparilla. It is sold by E. C. Brooks.

A Garrick, one of the best tailors who ever did business in southern Oregon, has moved his stock of ready-made clothing to Ashland, where he will also engage in the tailoring business.

There is still more or less sickness in southern Oregon, but health is improving since the backbone of la grippe was broken. It is astonishing how many people were affected by the epidemic.

Catarrh, neuralgia, rheumatism and most diseases originate from impure blood. Cleanse it, improve it, purify it with De Witt's Sarsaparilla and health is restored, strength regained. Sold by E. C. Brooks.

B. F. Stephenson of Medford has established his reputation as a "rustler," having taken a large number of subscriptions to Talmage's book "From Manger to Throne," notwithstanding the hard times in southern Oregon.

The wretch who mutilated the fine horses belonging to Mrs. Karewski at her barn last week should be keelhauled for his fiendish work in cutting off their tails just before fly-time, merely to depreciate their value.

Erickson, the railroad contractor, has been having trouble in his settlement with the S. P. Co. for the work done at the fills near Talent, and a number of his employes have been to the latter place for some weeks in consequence.

Mrs. Russell and daughter last week returned sadly to Lakeview, after the death of the husband and father in California. Mr R. had long suffered from cancer, and he vainly sought to get relief at the hands of the bay city physicians.

One of the Hollister stage stars, who went broke while in this valley, did not fancy the walking back to San Francisco and stole a free ride by freight, locked into a box filled with stage property, belonging to the "Kajanka" company.

We are in receipt of a neat and interesting little publication called "The Young Idea." It is, as its name indicates, devoted to educational matters, and is edited by Prof. N. A. Jacobs, teacher of the second department of the Medford school.

When I began using Ely's Cream Balm my catarrh was so bad I had headache the whole time and discharged a large amount of filthy matter. This has almost entirely disappeared and I have not had headache since.—J. H. Sommers, Stephney, Conn.

The Rowe Manufacturing Co. of Roseburg are preparing to start an extensive business at Roseburg. Mr. Rowe, one of the firm, has been in Idaho after machinery for the plant, while Mr. More, another member, has gone to San Francisco, also in its interests.

Ashland has been "fair as a garden of the Lord" from the railroad trains for a week or more past, embowered as she is among the wealth of bloom of the thousands of young peach, apple, pear and plum trees just coming into full bearing. The crop bids fair to be immense.

Jacob Schmidling and son, the stone masons, are engaged in the stonework of the addition to the priest's residence in Jacksonville, and have also built a stone foundation under the main part of the building. When finished it will be one of the neatest dwelling-houses in town.

Many years' practice has given C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of patents at Washington, D. C., unsurpassed success in obtaining patents for all classes of inventions. They make a specialty of rejected cases, and have secured allowance of many patents that had been previously rejected.

Mrs. B. B. Meredith over the Pioneer hotel at Ashland under the new management, and cannot fail to give satisfaction, as she is one of the best housekeepers in the upper valley. The proprietor, H. B. Reed, was called to Indiana last Monday by a dispatch announcing the death of his father at that place, and he will probably not return short of three weeks. The hotel will be in capable hands during his absence, however.

PERSONAL MENTION.

D. Linn has gone to Eugene city on business.

Miss Genevieve Moore visited Ashland last week.

Ira Johnson of Linkville was in the valley last week.

Mrs. P. P. Prim returned from Portland yesterday.

Jas. Drum has returned from his trip to California.

W. I. Vawter and J. E. Enyart of Medford called yesterday.

Dr. Waite of Medford made the TIMES office a call yesterday.

Francis Fitch of Medford went to Portland during the week.

Cameron Bros. of Uniontown came to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Wm. Bybee is now at Waldo looking after his mining interests.

E. Hamilton and Mr. Reno of Ashland precinct were here yesterday.

Geo. Hines and wife of Applegate visited Jacksonville on Wednesday.

Father Blanchet returned north during the week from his California trip.

Mrs. Will Jackson has returned to Grant's Pass, after a visit in Jacksonville.

Miss K. Lemberger is at Grant's Pass taking testimony in a number of important cases.

Mrs. Dr. Hinkle and Miss Mary Mee of Central Point were in Jacksonville on Monday.

Chas. Sitter, of the Crystal Palace saloon at Portland, passed overland one day recently.

D. T. Ewen and wife of Little Butte precinct made our town a visit during the week.

Edgar Anderson and Fred Furry of Eden precinct were at the county seat during the week.

Mrs. P. P. Prim accompanied her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Canning, on her return to Portland this week.

P. W. Olwell, a prominent citizen of Central Point, was here on Wednesday, accompanied by Dr. Terry.

Judge Neil went to Grant's Pass this week on legal business, and will not return for several days.

Judge Prim and District Attorney Colvig have returned from their professional trip to Grant's Pass.

Chas. Pattee and Fred Nye of Flounce Rock precinct have gone to Coos county, on a tour of inspection.

Coroner Parson is in California on a ten-days tour of recreation, to recuperate from overwork in his profession.

Conductor Dave Houston has been recuperating from the rheumatism at Shovel creek springs during the past week.

Misses Lizzie Graves and Estella Levy are assisting Recorder Holmes in re-indexing the mortage records of the county.

Mr. Williamson of Indiana visited his old-time friend, K. Kubli of this place, while passing through the valley last week.

J. H. Whitman of Medford, the abstracter, may be seen at the court-house again, having recovered from his recent illness.

Jas. McDougall of Willow Springs precinct was in town yesterday. He has just recovered from a severe attack of la grippe.

Rev. R. Booth has been spending a few days with relatives in Grant's Pass, from which place he went to the Umpqua valley.

Miss Nada Inlow of Eagle Point has opened a three-months term of school in the Tucker district school-house, above Ashland.

Capt. Crowell and son, who are now located on the Stephenson ranch near Jacksonville, spent a few hours in town Wednesday.

J. D. Maxon of Applegate, who was in town yesterday, informed us that he is engaged in mining to good advantage with Mr. Cheney.

Gen. Ruger passed south one day last week to take station at San Francisco as the new commander of the department of the Pacific.

R. R. Dunn, manager of Staver & Walker's extensive branch house at Walla Walla, Wash., arrived here on Tuesday, but did not remain long.

Thos. H. Stimson of Little Butte came in on the railroad Wednesday, accompanied by Mr. Candle, who is seeking a home in this section.

H. H. Outman of Portland, a Rogue river pioneer, was near to death's door with an attack of apoplexy, but was better at last accounts.

Mrs. E. Newman, now in Ashland, will join her husband at his new station at Fort Townsend, Wash., sometime during the month of June.

B. B. Beckman of Portland is paying Jacksonville a visit. He is practicing law at the metropolis and meeting with considerable success.

We are pained to learn that M. A. Houston of Table Rock precinct is quite ill. He has been prostrated by a severe attack of the grippe.

Thos. H. Whelpley of Flounce Rock precinct called yesterday. He informs us that prominent stockraisers, as in town. He informs us that his sister's little son had one of his arms scalded in a washing and falling to the ground with great force.

The president's sister, Mrs. Eaton of North Bend, Ohio, who was seriously injured in a runaway accident, in company with a female relative, was not so badly hurt as at first represented, and is recovering rapidly.

Jas. Pelton, who has been attending the Portland business college, returned a few days ago. He was accompanied with his brother Horace in gathering a band of young cattle for their stock ranch in Crook county.

I. M. Center, administrator of the estate of J. S. Lozier, deceased, will sell the land belonging to the same, at public auction, at the court-house door in Jacksonville, to-morrow, Saturday, May 2, 1891. Here is a bargain for somebody.

The dwelling-house on the Kilgore place, near Jacksonville, owned by Wm. Bybee, was burned to the ground one evening last week. It was occupied by Wm. Chastain and family, who lost nearly everything they had. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The railroad work in the Cow creek canyon, which was commenced a year ago, is finished and Hays & Jeffrey, the contractors, have removed their plant to other scenes. It cost the S. P. several hundred thousand dollars to repair the ravages of the winter of 1890.

Phil. Wadsworth of Portland, vice-president of the Oregon Trust Co., has been here on a tour again. His firm are locating a number of immigrants, direct from the east, in southern Oregon, and he received quite a large company from their local agent, J. Harryman of Medford, who is full of energy.

At the last meeting of Adaral Chapter No. 5, O. E. S., Miss Emma Pape was presented with a handsome bouquet by Mrs. R. R. Dunn, who made a few appropriate remarks on behalf of the lodge. The young lady, who has since become a resident of Walla Walla, Wash., has been a member of the order for several years past.

The R. R. V. R. R. Co. is now using its own rolling-stock, a handsome passenger and baggage car in one, as also a flat car, having been received from the Stoddard works during the week. The locomotive experience no trouble in hauling the heaviest loads over the road now, but it will require a little time yet, we feel proud of our railroad, and it will soon prove a first-class one in every respect. Ballast is all it needs now.

The ball given at the U. S. Hall in Jacksonville last Friday, for the benefit of the Odd Fellows' orphan home at Portland, was one of the handsomest events which has taken place in a social way in this city. The attendance was good and everything passed off nicely. Several of the young ladies and gentlemen appeared in full dress, and were conspicuous by their elegant costumes. Excellent music was furnished by Cook's string band, prominent among which was Prof. Fitzgerald of Eagle Point. The supper was prepared by the ladies and is highly complimented by those who partook of it.

For Sale.

Two yoke of oxen, in good order and well broken to work in logging camp. For further particulars apply to Henry Klippel at Medford, or Jonas A. Lee at Ashland.

LOCAL NOTES.

Vacation is fast approaching.

Elder G. M. Whitney of Lane county is in the valley.

Mrs. W. R. Cook is visiting relatives at Talent.

Measles are prevailing in some portions of the county.

N. Fisher is disposing of his goods at a very low rate.

Col. Martin has returned from his trip to Douglas county.

Several couples will attend the party at Ashland this evening.

Jas. Reames of Eden precinct spent yesterday at the county-seat.

Dr. Jones of Medford was here on Wednesday on professional business.

J. C. Allen and Miss Ida Briner were married at Talent on April 26th.

J. H. Ahlf has taken charge of his market in Grant's Pass, succeeding Mrs. Baird.

Lewis Sivers of Evans creek continues to furnish the market with excellent fish.

Early garden stuff, such as radishes, lettuce, onions and asparagus, is in the market.

Orrin Russell of Waldo is being visited by his brother, who is a resident of Washington.

E. B. Myer and E. B. Hunsaker of Ashland were among our visitors during the week.

Liberty district school, which is being taught by Prof. Haselton, will hold a picnic on May 30th.

Mrs. Chas. Strang and Mrs. D. H. Miller of Medford were among Jacksonville's visitors this week.

Dr. J. A. Geisendorfer has returned from Grant's Pass and may be found at his office hereafter.

J. A. Houston is once more a resident of Linkville, which he is better satisfied with than ever.

John Bond, a pioneer citizen of Jackson county, visited his many friends in this section last week.

John Ashpole of Eagle Point, B. W. Dean of Willow Springs, and J. P. Dews of Applegate were in Jacksonville lately.

Sixteen carloads of cattle passed through the valley on Tuesday. They were shipped from southern ranges by Portland parties.

Sheriff Birdsey arrived with the tramp who broke into Lewis' store at Ashland on Tuesday night. He was captured at Hornbrook.

Wool promises to bring a higher price this spring than for some time past. Mutton sheep are commanding a handsome figure, too.

It seems highly probable that the R. R. V. R. R. will be extended to Butte creek, and maybe to Josephine county, at no distant day.

Rev. T. P. Haynes, P. E., has been in this section and held a quarterly meeting in Jacksonville district on Saturday and Sunday.

Peter Applegate has a party in the field looking for the most feasible railroad route between Central Point and the Butte creek region.

Geo. R. Hammersly is confined to his room with a severe cold, supplemented by a malignant carbuncle. He is recovering at present, however.

The Jacksonville district school will indulge in a picnic on Rogue river at the granger fort to-day, which is May day. A pleasant time is promised.

Messrs Buchanan and Honeyman, leading stock holders in the R. R. V. R. R., who have been visiting this section, returned home during the week.

J. W. and Frank Bybee have taken charge of their father's extensive farming and stock raising interests and will conduct them for some years to come.

John E. Pelton of Ashland, the well known stockbuyer, passed through town one day this week, accompanied by Mr. Hayes, who represents Jesse D. Carr.

The business of J. T. Layton & Co., at Grant's Pass, has been placed in charge of Chas. Hunsaker and Mr. Toffa, who will wind it up as soon as possible.

A representative of Galbraith Bros. of Wisconsin, who have many fine stallions for sale, has been in this section for the purpose of disposing of more or less of them.

Sheriff Birdsey and Will Jackson took the Grant's Pass burglars to Salem on Monday. Sheriff Moss of Josephine county still being confined to his bed at that time.

S. L. Moorhead of Nosecity, Kansas, a newspaper publisher, called at the TIMES office one day this week. He is on a tour of inspection and is well pleased with our county.

R. A. Baldwin, son of Judge Baldwin, died on Williams creek one day last week, after a lingering illness. He was a genial young man and highly esteemed by all who knew him.

The marshal shot at a hoodlum who broke away from him as he was about to arrest him for violating the curfew ordinance. Next time he may shoot to hit; so those interested will "know the reason why."

Polk Hull of Meadows precinct, one of our prominent stockraisers, is in town. He informs us that his sister's little son had one of his arms scalded in a washing and falling to the ground with great force.

The president's sister, Mrs. Eaton of North Bend, Ohio, who was seriously injured in a runaway accident, in company with a female relative, was not so badly hurt as at first represented, and is recovering rapidly.

Jas. Pelton, who has been attending the Portland business college, returned a few days ago. He was accompanied with his brother Horace in gathering a band of young cattle for their stock ranch in Crook county.

I. M. Center, administrator of the estate of J. S. Lozier, deceased, will sell the land belonging to the same, at public auction, at the court-house door in Jacksonville, to-morrow, Saturday, May 2, 1891. Here is a bargain for somebody.

The dwelling-house on the Kilgore place, near Jacksonville, owned by Wm. Bybee, was burned to the ground one evening last week. It was occupied by Wm. Chastain and family, who lost nearly everything they had. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The railroad work in the Cow creek canyon, which was commenced a year ago, is finished and Hays & Jeffrey, the contractors, have removed their plant to other scenes. It cost the S. P. several hundred thousand dollars to repair the ravages of the winter of 1890.

Phil. Wadsworth of Portland, vice-president of the Oregon Trust Co., has been here on a tour again. His firm are locating a number of immigrants, direct from the east, in southern Oregon, and he received quite a large company from their local agent, J. Harryman of Medford, who is full of energy.

At the last meeting of Adaral Chapter No. 5, O. E. S., Miss Emma Pape was presented with a handsome bouquet by Mrs. R. R. Dunn, who made a few appropriate remarks on behalf of the lodge. The young lady, who has since become a resident of Walla Walla, Wash., has been a member of the order for several years past.

The R. R. V. R. R. Co. is now using its own rolling-stock, a handsome passenger and baggage car in one, as also a flat car, having been received from the Stoddard works during the week. The locomotive experience no trouble in hauling the heaviest loads over the road now, but it will require a little time yet, we feel proud of our railroad, and it will soon prove a first-class one in every respect. Ballast is all it needs now.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds have been recorded in the office of the county recorder since the last report of the TIMES:

Jacob Wagner to Ashland Lodge No. 23, A. F. & A. M.; lot in blk 1, Ashland. $125.

Welcome Fowler et al, to Catherine E Crystal; lot 5, blk 21, Medford. $80.

W A Forbes to C C Ragsdale; lots 15 and 16 in blk 39, Medford. $2000.

C F Babcock to Oliver Hanson; lots 1 and 2, blk 3, Park addition to Medford. $80.

Chas Milsap to Albion H Boothby; s½ of se¼, sec 27, twp 32 s, r 4 e. $400.

Same to Mrs Jennie Boothby; e½ of sw¼ same section. $400.

Caroline B Hoffman to Miss Kate Hoffman; property adjoining cemetery in Jacksonville. $250.

R V Beall to G O B Dellar; 3.20 acres in twp 37 s, r 2 w. $250.

Mrs M J Armstrong to W J Hoosey; 15 acres in twp 36 s, r 2 w. $200.

Riley Strait to Joseph G Pierce; 160 acres in twp 35 s, r 4 e. $600.

Samuel H Murray to Lena J Pellette; 40 acres in twp 36 s, r 1 w, subject to liens. $1.

United States to Arthur Wilson; patent to 56.35 acres in twp 37 s, r 1 w.

Same to Granville Naylor; 80 acres in twp 39 s, r 1 e.

Same to Chas S Baird; 160 acres in twp 38 s, r 3 w.

The Presidential Party.

It is thought that President Harrison and his party will pass through the valley next Tuesday forenoon, judging from the following correspondence, sent us from Medford, he may make a short stop there:

MEDFORD, Or., April 27, 1891.

To Benjamin Harrison, President U. S. A., San Francisco, Calif.:

Can you stop at Medford, if only for five minutes? Comrades want to see you once more.

J. R. EFFORD,
Commander Chester A. Arthur Post, G. A. R.

THE REPLY.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28, 1891.

To J. R. Efford, Medford:

The President directs me to say that he will be glad to accept your kind invitation of the 27th inst., and will arrange to stop at Medford for a few minutes if our schedule will permit.

GEO. W. BOYD, In Charge.

Salary, $25 per Week.

Wanted: Good agents to sell our general line of merchandise. No peddling. Above salary will be paid to "live" agents. For further information address

CHICAGO GENERAL SUPPLY CO.,
No. 175 West Van Buren St., Chicago, Ill.

$25 Reward.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who broke into the school-house the latter part of last week and committed a number of lawless acts. By order of the board of directors of Jacksonville school district.

Pasture.

Good pasture can be had at reasonable rates at W. S. Crowell's Stephenson ranch, near Jacksonville.

Holmes Business College.

Of Portland, Or., will open Sept. 1st. J. A. Wesco, the leading penman of the coast, has become a partner in this school and will make it the leading business college. Send for catalogue.

Better Than a Gold Mine.

Ten acres set to fruit when in a bearing condition will yield an income of from $3000 to $4500 per year and requires no expensive machinery to operate it. A fruit-raiser in the Willamette valley requires but a small outlay, has all the advantages of a civilized and cultured society, has good and convenient markets and receives a better income from the same investment than can be had from any other line of industry. You can secure all this land from $55 to $75 per acre of The Oregon Land Company of Salem, Oregon.

How to Break up a Severe Cold.

Says the Virginia City, Mont., "Madisonian:" When we find a medicine we know to possess genuine merit we consider it a duty, and take great pleasure in