

PERSONAL MENTION.

Grant Orme of Footh creek precinct is in town. J. R. O'Neill has returned from his trip to Salem and Portland. Chas. F. Young of Gold Hill was a visitor in Ashland last week. W. H. Parker, the Medford attorney, was at the county-seat Friday. Miss Rose Buckley of Applegate has been visiting Misses Orth. Mrs. P. J. Ryan, who has been considerably indisposed, is convalescent. Geo. Walters of Applegate was a visitor at the county-seat yesterday. H. A. Bauten of Union and John S. Lacy of Pooch Bah are with us today. Jeff. Heard of Medford entertained some of his Jacksonville friends Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Reames of Klamath Falls are visiting in San Francisco and San Jose, Calif. M. F. Lewis of Portland, wholesale dealer in barber's supplies, tarried awhile yesterday. Thos. Wright of Willow Springs and his son Will, were at the county-seat not long since. J. S. Meek, the genial traveling agent for the Buckingham, Hecht, Co., is among us. Judge Day went to Medford yesterday evening, to install the officers of the I. O. O. F. encampment. President Clayton of the Southern Oregon State Normal School spent a few days at Salem this week. R. Collinson, Fleischer, Mayer & Co.'s traveling representative, spent a day in Jacksonville this week. Mrs. Fletcher Linn of Portland, who has been visiting with D. Linn and family, left for Eugene Tuesday. Miss Laura Stafford of Eugene, who has been visiting Mrs. E. L. Fisher of Ashland, returned home this week. Mrs. Alice Rosenbaum of Wolf creek has returned home after a visit with relatives lying on Footh creek. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bontrager of Willow Springs precinct were in town a few days ago, trading with our merchants. Prof. Barnhart, the well-known musician, was in town Tuesday, en route from Gold Hill to his mines on Applegate. W. F. D. Allen, an Ashland merchant, was in Jacksonville this week, assisting his friend Boyce to keep up his courage. Frank Hawk, a prominent member of Central Point lodge of the A. O. U. W., was in Jacksonville yesterday morning. Mrs. Jessie Vert, grand worthy matron of the O. E. S., will make the chapters in Jackson county an official visit this week. Joe Brooks, the clever representative of Honeyman, DeHart & Co., made us a call yesterday. He is as irresistible as ever. Frank Tucker of Marion county arrived in Jacksonville the forepart of the week, but too late to see his sister, Mrs. G. N. Lewis, alive. Horace J. Hicks, a prominent citizen of Ashland, who has been at Portland, having his eyes treated, has returned home, considerably improved. J. C. Whipp returned from Salem Sunday, and has since been confined to his residence, having contracted a severe cold in the senatorial atmosphere. Representative Stewart visited in Ashland and Talent Saturday. He is considered one of the ablest and most influential members of the lower house. Fletcher Linn of Portland has gone to eastern markets, to make extensive purchases for the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Co., in which he is interested. Mrs. H. E. Davie of St. Paul, Minn., (nee Belle Jones) arrived in Jacksonville, yesterday, accompanied by her daughter. They will make a visit of some length. B. Wistar Morris, the venerable bishop of the Episcopal church in Oregon, has been in the valley recently, and held services at Grant's Pass, Medford and Ashland. Hon. W. M. Colvig went to Central Point Wednesday, to officiate at the funeral of the late Jas. A. Edgington, which was conducted under the auspices of the A. O. U. W. Frank Roundtree, the expert engineer, was here yesterday, on his way to Applegate. Several of his relatives arrived from Washington last week, and are located at the Braden farm, situated near Gold Hill. Miss Gertrude John, who has been visiting in San Francisco during the past two months, arrived in Jacksonville on yesterday evening's train, and is the guest of Mrs. P. Hines. She will return to her home at Williams tomorrow.

LOCAL NOTES.

Mrs. A. Bish is visiting relatives at Portland. There will be no more bicycle taxes—nor paths, either. E. B. McKee of Union precinct was in Jacksonville yesterday. M. T. Crowe and S. Arrasmith of Applegate were in town this week. La grippe is in the land, and a number of aggravated cases are reported. Elegant home-made candies of all kinds, a specialty at Joe Wetterer's. Gold Hill's lodge of the A. O. U. W. expects to erect a two-story building during 1901. Dave Plymale is employed in the state printer's office at Salem as a messenger. Notes, receipts, drafts, due bills, etc., in book form, for sale at THE TIMES office. No U. S. senator has been elected as yet. The situation remains unchanged. Representative Carter has the thanks of THE TIMES for copies of several bills. You can get the most candy for your money at "The Boss." Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. D. E. Hyde of Ashland had her spine severely wrenched, one day last week, by a fall. The town election occurs one month from next Tuesday. It causes no comment as yet. Hon. N. Langell and family expect to move to Medford next month, where they may locate. The weather has been pleasant in the daytime during the past week, but quite cold at night. Joe Wetterer makes a specialty of light drinks, fresh candies, nuts, etc. Give 'em a trial. Miss Jessie Applegate of Klamath county has entered the state normal school at Ashland. The county commissioners' court will be in session next week, commencing Wednesday. Fuller Bros. of Poorman's creek, accompanied by their brother-in-law, were in Jacksonville yesterday. Representative Stewart has introduced a bill in the legislature for the relief of W. H. Barr of Medford. Mr. Noah has purchased Chas. Plening's interest in the mail route between Gold Hill and Sam's valley. The Big Butte school-house collapsed under the weight of the snow on it. Where were the directors? J. W. Slinger, a prominent stockman of Lake creek, has sold a hundred head of cattle to A. F. Hunt. The cow advertised for sale in the last issue of THE TIMES has already been sold. Comment is unnecessary. Irwin Pool of Eagle Point, who has been critically ill, with an attack of measles, is somewhat improved now. Mrs. Eli Dahack of Eagle Point precinct had one of her lower limbs broken last week, by the kick of a horse. All kinds of fruit, including oranges, bananas and lemons, also vegetables, cheaper than the cheapest at "The Boss." C. M. Pence of Forest creek was in town several times during the past ten days. He has much sickness in his family. Miss Leah O'Hara of Tolo, who has been quite ill, has resumed her studies at the Southern Oregon State Normal School. Jacksonville Fire Co. and the board of trustees will hold their monthly meetings next Monday and Tuesday evenings respectively. A number of fine hogs, from the Maury farm in Pooch Bah precinct, are being manufactured into hams and bacon at Orth's butchershop. Assessor Pendleton is preparing his field books, for the coming year, which have been greatly improved. He will begin work in about a month. Dick Nichols of Modoc county, Cal., who is well known in Jackson county, has left the life of single blessedness, and is in San Francisco with his wife. Jas. McDonough of Union precinct made THE TIMES a pleasant call Saturday. We are pleased to learn that the health of his wife is improved. Miss Ethelyn Davis left Table Rock precinct last week, for Tacoma, Wash., where she has taken a position as copyist in the county recorder's office. The butchers have again raised the price of meat. Choice cuts are now quoted at 15 cents a pound, 12 cents a pound being charged for ordinary beef. The venerable father of G. E. Blew, the clever conductor of the S. P., died at Junction city last week. He came to Oregon from Missouri over 40 years ago, and has been a respected and prominent citizen of our state ever since. The southbound local freight, Conductor Farrier and Engineer Gray, out of Roseburg, Jan. 28th, met with an accident at tunnel No. 4, where several boxcars were derailed by the spreading of the rails. No one was injured. Rev. Mr. Knotts, the missionary, held interesting services at the Presbyterian church Sunday. Mrs. Fletcher Linn of Portland, an accomplished vocalist, sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Carrie Beekman on the organ, which is highly complimented by all who heard it. The handsomest flower that blooms is the rose. Every lover of the beautiful should have an assortment of them. The California Rose Co., Los Angeles, Calif., are head-quarters of the coast for nice field-grown rose bushes. All the latest and best sorts. Send for a catalogue today. The Rogue River Choral Union will hold its annual convention at Grant's Pass on the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th of March. Prof. Gifford Nash of Eugene, who is a superior musician, will fill the position of director. Mrs. R. C. Brooks of Oakland, Calif., the popular soprano soloist, will also be in attendance.

Annual Tax Levied.

The following business was transacted at the special session of the county court, held Jan. 28th: It is ordered that the following levy be made on each and every dollar of the taxable property on the assessment roll for the year 1900: State tax, 5.7 mills; county school fund, 5 mills; indigent soldiers' fund, .05 of a mill; state seal bounty fund, except sheep, .25 of a mill; general county fund, 15 mills. Total, 26 mills. It was further ordered that a levy of one cent be made on each sheep shown on the assessment roll of 1900.

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After this date the Jacksonville meat market will be closed on Sunday. Patrons thereof will be served as late as Saturday night at nine o'clock. Deeds, mortgages, leases, bonds, bills of sale and every imaginable kind of legal blanks—the latest and best—are constantly on hand at THE TIMES office. W. W. Cardwell has left Roseburg on his return to Cape Nome. He goes to Dutch Harbor from Seattle, thence 1000 miles over ice and snow to his destination. G. W. Winetrot of Thompson creek and G. C. Cruly of Steamboat, who have some of the finest cattle in the southern Oregon, have sold a lot of them to Mitchell Bros. If troubled with a weak digestion, belching, sour stomach, or if you feel dull after eating, try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at City Drug Store. Paul Edwards, who has been engaged in manufacturing cigars at Grant's Pass, has disposed of his interest in the business and will return to his old position on the Siskiyou, accompanied by his wife. The county clerk has issued license to marry to Cyrus Norton and Alena G. DeCoudress; also to W. D. Howard and Alberta N. DeCoudress. The young men recently came from Harney county. The death of Chas. Birdsey of Avon, Montana, as the result of an operation performed on him, is reported. He was a resident of Jackson county many years ago, and possessed of considerable wealth. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are dainty little pills; but they never fail to cleanse the liver, remove obstructions and invigorate the system. City Drug Store, Jacksonville, and Dr. Hinkle, Central Point. W. E. Stacy is conducting the best store that Sam's valley has been favored with. He keeps an excellent assortment of goods, and sells at reasonable rates. Give him a call, as he spares no pains to please. Rev. Chas. Booth, pastor of St. Luke's Episcopal church at Grant's Pass, will hold services in the M. E. church building, Jacksonville, next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend. Don't give your children chalk and clay; It shortens life, the doctor says; But give them candy pure and white, It will cheer their hearts and make them light. The Boss makes all kinds of candy, and sells at ten cents a pound, or three pounds for 25 cents. The board of trustees held a special meeting Tuesday evening, to consider the advisability of levying a tax. It was decided that the revenues of the town would pay all the expenses of the municipal government, interest on bonds, etc., during the coming year; hence it was unnecessary to levy a tax. This action of the board will prove a decidedly popular one with our citizens. Ben George, a highly respected and prominent citizen of Josephine county, who was also well known in this section, died a few days ago. He was one of the oldest members of Warren Lodge No. 10, A. F. & A. M. of Jacksonville, and was buried at Kertyville yesterday, with Masonic honors. Mr. G. is survived by several children, all of whom are grown. A host of friends will regret to learn of his death. Representative Carter's bill for the regulation of railroad passenger rates reads as follows: It shall be unlawful for any railroad company, corporation, person or persons, operating lines in the state, to demand, collect or receive greater compensation for the transportation of persons than three cents a mile. Any such railroad company, person or persons neglecting or refusing to comply with the measures of this act shall, upon conviction thereof, for each and every offense, be fined a sum not less than \$200 nor more than \$2000. Representative Colvig of Josephine county has introduced the following bill, changing the time for holding circuit court in this judicial district: The terms of the court in the first judicial district shall be in each year as follows: In Josephine county on the second Monday in January, the third Monday in April, the second Monday in July, and the fourth Monday in September. Provided, that in the January and July terms of court in Josephine county a jury shall not be summoned except by an order of the judge of the circuit court. In Jackson county on the fourth Monday in March, the first Monday in September, and the second Monday in December. In Klamath county on the second Monday in June and the second Monday in November. In Lake county on the third Monday in May and the third Monday in October.

Gone to Her Rest.

Mrs. Mary E. Lewis, the wife of Geo. N. Lewis, proprietor of the Union Livery stables, died at the family residence in Jacksonville on the afternoon of Jan. 28th, after an illness of several years. Her maiden name was Tucker, and she was born in Marion county, Oregon, July 15, 1854. In 1874 she was married to Mr. Lewis, who with six children, survive her. Mrs. L. joined the Christian church at Turcor in 1883, remaining a faithful member thereof. In May, 1897, she was attacked by la grippe, which developed into a pulmonary disease. The remains were interred in the Masonic cemetery Tuesday, Rev. O. J. Gist of Medford officiating. A large number of the deceased lady's friends paid their last respects. Mrs. Lewis was a lady of many estimable qualities and highly esteemed. A dutiful and affectionate wife and mother, ever ready to lend assistance and sympathy to those in need of it, she is mourned by all who knew her.

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Mining News.

Jack Frost is interfering seriously with the operations of many placer miners. Notices for the location of placer and quartz mines, etc., for sale at THE TIMES office. The cold weather prevailing during the past week has been detrimental to many of the placer miners, who are unable to do much effective work. Miners' liens, deeds to mines, water rights locations and other mining blanks always on hand at THE TIMES office. The American Mining Code, standard authority on all subjects pertaining to mining, water-rights, etc., is kept on hand at THE TIMES office. Ex-Sheriff Plummer of Polk county, who has been operating in the mines of southern Oregon, is now at McAdams creek, Siskiyou county, Calif., expecting to enlist capital in dredging that stream. Arthur C. Howland, superintendent of the Davis hydraulic mine, located in Jump-off-Joe district, who was at Grant's Pass recently, reported that pining was progressing day and night previous to the cold snap now prevailing.

The Montreal and Oregon Gold Mining Co.

The Montreal and Oregon Gold Mining Co., which owns valuable property in Ashland district, has completed the enlargement and improvement of its mill. Tin stamps are now dropping on ore from the Ashland mine, which promises well. Two of the most valuable carloads of ore ever taken to Baker city over the Sumpter valley railway arrived one day last week from the Columbia mine, says the Democrat. F. S. Baillie accompanied the cars and had the ore sampled by the Baker city sampling works, which gave a return of over \$50,000. There were 20 tons in all, 10 tons to the car. Mr. Baillie, after the sampling, forwarded the ore to the smelter at Everett, Wash.

A Fatal Accident.

A lamentable accident occurred at Central Point Monday, which resulted in the death of Jas. A. Edgington, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edgington. In attempting to board a through freight train, that was passing at the usual rate of speed, in order to reach the Voorhees orchards, situated near Phoenix, where he was employed, he failed to land safely on the caboose and fell underneath the wheels. The lower part of his body was frightfully mangled, and he did not survive his injuries long. Mr. Edgington was an industrious, honorable young man, whose tragic death is generally deplored. The funeral took place Wednesday, and was conducted by Table Rock Lodge No. 81, A. O. U. W.

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