

PERSONAL MENTION.

A. N. Solis returned from Salem Monday. Hon. W. M. Colvig went to Grant's Pass Tuesday. Miss Anna Wendt was a Medford visitor Wednesday. Mrs. M. Obenbach left Wednesday for B. Y. Klamath county. Mrs. Hattie Stevens of Grant's Pass is visiting in Jacksonville. A. Bish, a successful school teacher has been visiting Supt. Daily. E. W. Anderson of Watkins was a recent visitor in Jacksonville. Elder Eby preached in the Dunkard church at Ashland Sunday. Dr. J. W. Marksberry, the genial agent for Dr. Ward's medicines, is in town. Jas. Briscoe of Meadows precinct was a visitor at the county-seat Wednesday. Judge Prim went to Ashland this morning, to conduct the examination of an insane woman. H. E. Ankeny, E. V. Carter and Gus Newbury got back from Salem the forepart of the week. H. D. Kubli of Applegate, who has been a prominent member of the third house, has returned home. Jas. O. Watson came over from Applegate this week, to celebrate the election of Senator Mitchell. District Attorney Reames, who has been at Portland, Salem and Corvallis for several days, on legal business, returned home this morning. Rev. Chas. Booth of St. Luke's church, Grant's Pass, will hold services at the M. E. church in Jacksonville, Monday next, at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. John A. Boyer, the clever clerk at Beekman & Reames' bank and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express office, who has been quite ill for sometime, is convalescent, we are pleased to announce. J. J. Martin, the well-known miner, who has been operating in Washington mines lately, was in Jacksonville a few days ago. He is on his way to South America, in the interest of a mining syndicate. John Knox of Berwyn, Ill., who now represents a leading book publishing concern, was in Jacksonville last week, interviewing Hon. W. M. Colvig of the state text-book commission. He was formerly interested in the Squaw Lake Mining Co. Senator Cameron, Mrs. Cameron and Fige Don Cameron returned home on Tuesday's train from Salem. The Senator says he enjoyed the session of legislature very much, and had a good time. Take it all in all he was pleased with the work accomplished during the term. However, he is not being questioned very closely as to the result of the election of a United States senator. J. I. Chapman, with his wife and daughter, arrived in the valley Saturday, from Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Chapman is interested in the broom corn industry, and is here to locate. He will investigate the bottom lands in the valley as to their adaptation for the growth of broom corn, and will make investments if the finds conditions favorable. He is also a broom manufacturer, and will inaugurate that industry if sufficient material is available. He says that if his present plans mature many others will follow him here from Phoenix.

MEDFORD SQUABS.

Many city improvement are noted on all sides. J. S. McCain left on a business trip to Salem Tuesday. Hon. J. H. Stewart has purchased the 160-acre Fordyce farm for \$10,000. Mrs. Cofer, wife of the proprietor of the Model restaurant, has gone to California, on a visit. Mort Foster, who has been spending several years past in the state of Washington, returned to Medford a few days ago. Mrs. Irene Eaton of Jacksonville is in Medford, attending her daughter, Mrs. Geo. S. Howard, who is not expected to survive many days. The remains of the late Mrs. Peter Spielman arrived here from New York Monday evening and the funeral was conducted on Tuesday. Interment took place in the Medford cemetery. Father Berthiaume of Jacksonville officiating. Have you seen those big oranges at "The Boss," two for five cents? I get my oranges direct from the grower, and they ripen on the tree; they are fine and cheap. The snow and rain this winter has knocked out the bicycle riding completely, and it will be some time yet before bicycle riding can be enjoyed in this county. It is now unlawful to play nickel-in-the-slot machines, or to allow them to be played. The late legislature placed them among other gambling devices. The ball given at Woodville on the night of Washington's birthday was a success in every way. It was managed by W. B. Raymond, who is an expert in that line. The legislature has passed a bill which authorizes county courts to levy a license tax of \$1.00 on each person riding a bicycle, the proceeds to go toward the construction of paths. Geo. M. Love of Jacksonville has filed a petition in the bankruptcy department of the U. S. district court, asking to be discharged from his debts, which amount to about \$12,000. For the weakness and prostration following gripe there is nothing so prompt and effective as One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation is highly endorsed as an unfailing remedy for all throat and lung troubles, and its early use prevents consumption. It was made to cure quickly. City Drug Store and Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.

Announcement.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cts. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up secretions, but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

I. O. O. F. Lodge Will Celebrate.

Jacksonville Lodge, No. 10, I. O. O. F., will celebrate the coming anniversary of the order, April 26, 1901. By order of the committee. CHAS. ULRICH, CHAS. BAYNE, L. C. KAIN.

Best Prescription for Chills

and Fever is a bottle of GROVE'S ASTERISK CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price, 50c.

LOCAL NOTES.

Say a good word for your town. Plant your spring advertisement in THE TIMES. For neat job printing come to THE TIMES office. J. H. Cason of Forest creek, the miner, called this morning. If you never had any good photos before try Mackey & Boyd. Elegant home-made candles of all kinds a specialty at Joe Wetterer's. A number of commercial traveling men have been in Jacksonville during the week. The Rough Riders' ball given at Ashland on the 22d, is reported a grand success. A large quantity of rain has fallen during the past fortnight—much more than usual. You can get the most candy for your money at "The Boss." Satisfaction guaranteed. There has been but a very few light cases of the "grip" in Jacksonville this winter. Have your photos made while Mackey & Boyd are in town, during the next two weeks. The county commissioners' court will be in session next week, commencing March 6th. Last Friday was Washington's birthday; but it was observed only in a perfunctory manner. Joe Wetterer makes a specialty of light drinks, fresh candies, nuts, tropical and other fruits, etc. Chinese New Year has been unusually quiet here, as the number of celestials in this city is not large. H. C. Mackey & Boyd's photo tent will remain in Jacksonville but a short time. Have your photos made now. All kinds of fruit, including oranges, bananas and lemons, also vegetables, cheaper than the cheapest at "The Boss." Wheat is quoted at 44 cents a bushel and flour at \$16 per thousand pounds—a raise of one cent a bushel and \$2 a ton. The little folks while the photo tent is in town. They never feel good after a six or eight mile drive. D. Linn has declined to be a candidate for trustee, and the official ballot will contain but four names for that position. Attention is called to the announcements of H. G. Dox and E. Band, independent candidates for recorder and marshal. The Lenten season is here, and regular services are being held at the Catholic church by Father Berthiaume. After this year taxes will be paid in semi-annual installments. This is one of the best laws passed by the late legislature. The "Boss" is the place to get your oranges. Thirty boxes have been ordered, and will arrive within the next day or two. The Jacksonville county contingent to the legislature have all returned home, and are settled in their respective vocations. As the weather has been very stormy the Mackey & Boyd photo tent will remain in Jacksonville until the middle of March. For the benefit of those who cannot attend during the week the photo tent will be open for business next Sunday. Mackey & Boyd. Farmers are calling on Jupiter Pluvius for a cessation of hostilities. They have had more than enough rain, and want a chance to put in the balance of their crops. The roads are well nigh impassable—never were worse. The late legislature made some improvement in the system of working them. Jacksonville Fire Co. and the board of trustees will hold their monthly sessions next Monday and Tuesday evenings respectively. Editor Short, of Myrtle Point Enterprise, and Daisy B. Giles, a prominent teacher of that part of the state, were united in marriage last week. Salt fish, new barrel of bloater mackerel, Columbia river salmon bellies, boneless codfish, during the Lenten season at Nunan's, Jacksonville. Judge Bellinger of the U. S. district court has appointed Silas J. Day as referee in bankruptcy for Jackson county. It is an excellent appointment. Have you seen those big oranges at "The Boss," two for five cents? I get my oranges direct from the grower, and they ripen on the tree; they are fine and cheap. The snow and rain this winter has knocked out the bicycle riding completely, and it will be some time yet before bicycle riding can be enjoyed in this county. It is now unlawful to play nickel-in-the-slot machines, or to allow them to be played. The late legislature placed them among other gambling devices. The ball given at Woodville on the night of Washington's birthday was a success in every way. It was managed by W. B. Raymond, who is an expert in that line. The legislature has passed a bill which authorizes county courts to levy a license tax of \$1.00 on each person riding a bicycle, the proceeds to go toward the construction of paths. Geo. M. Love of Jacksonville has filed a petition in the bankruptcy department of the U. S. district court, asking to be discharged from his debts, which amount to about \$12,000. For the weakness and prostration following gripe there is nothing so prompt and effective as One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation is highly endorsed as an unfailing remedy for all throat and lung troubles, and its early use prevents consumption. It was made to cure quickly. City Drug Store and Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.

Henry G. Dox, the independent candidate for town recorder, is well qualified therefor, and the favorable consideration of the voters at Tuesday's election will be duly appreciated by him. A Medford paper says that two young men living in Jacksonville recently made that town a visit and acted very badly, riding on the sidewalks, etc. They paid \$25 for their sport. The Bill Nye Mining Co. is taking out a large quantity of gold from their mine, situated in Gail's creek district, which they will soon mill. Some of it is extremely rich and will yield thousands of dollars. The body of Elvin Hayes, a young man who was drowned recently while attempting to cross Rogue river in a skiff, was recovered near Table Rock, last week. Chas. and John Pankey discovered it while fishing. W. C. Deneff has purchased W. H. McDaniel's interest in the Criticon saloon. The new firm will continue to furnish the public with wines, liquors and cigars of fine quality, and treat their customers well. Chas. Faith and F. M. Harkness of Grant's Pass spent a few days in Jacksonville, on a prospecting trip. They intended going to Klamath county, but turned back on account of deep snow and bad roads. When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and pleasant to use, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, Price, 25 cents. Samples free. Every box guaranteed. For sale City Drug Store. A solemn mass of requiem will take place at the Catholic church in Jacksonville, at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Spielman, who died at Attica, N. Y., on the 23d inst. The Republicans of Gold Hill have been making extensive preparations to celebrate the election of John H. Mitchell as U. S. senator this evening. The announcement that Representative Carter would preside has not been made as yet. Brad W. Dean of Curry county has commenced suit in our circuit court against Ralph F. Dean of Willow Springs, charging him with unduly influencing his mother when she deeded her property to him. W. M. Colvig and A. E. Reames are the former's attorneys. Litchfield & Patty, the popular proprietors of the Medford bakery, have made a number of improvements, and are catering to the public with success. As they manufacture bread, cakes, pies, etc., of a superior quality, they are entitled to the liberal patronage enjoyed by them. The Jacksonville "three-linkers" will celebrate the coming anniversary of their splendid order April 26, 1901. The I. O. O. F. lodge of this place has many earnest workers, and this occasion will be made one of more than passing interest to the friends of Odd Fellowship. The preliminary arrangements are now being made. The names of the following candidates appear on the official ballot that will be used at the town election which occurs next Tuesday: For trustees, Emil Britt, Chas. Prim, T. J. Kenney, H. Wendt; recorder, W. J. Plymale and Henry Dox; marshal, Jas. Cronmiller; marshal, John Murphy and E. Band; street commissioner, G. S. Epperson. The Jacksonville town election will occur next Tuesday March 5th. The office of recorder and marshal are the only ones with two aspirants each for those positions. Considerable interest is taken, and a big vote should be gotten out that day. It is the duty of every citizen to vote at their city election. A good showing puts life into everything. A number of Jacksonville citizens felt so good over the election of John H. Mitchell that they thought the occasion worthy of burning a little powder Monday night. It was a real justification even if they were not on a very large scale. Gold Hill, in about the same humor as Jacksonville people, will celebrate tonight. They will give a free ball and have a genuine good time. J. K. Carpenter, a mining engineer, who is well known in Jackson county, and was for two or three years superintendent of the Swayne Mining Company of Applegate, is a survivor of the ill-fated ship Rio Janeiro, which sunk in Golden Gate harbor on last Friday, and 125 passengers were drowned. Mr. Carpenter had a terrible experience in saving himself. He with another man were in a small boat, when the steamer's bow struck it as she went down, smashing it and throwing them into the water. Mr. C. was almost dead when picked up. The meeting of the Pacific coast traveling passenger and freight agents of many of the different railroad lines of this country brought to Ashland last Friday one of the liveliest groups of men who have ever collectively visited the city. These keen-witted diplomatic gentlemen were out for a little vacation and a good time, and it is safe to say, that with their usual success, they accomplished their object. Aside from the convivial features of the affair the meeting was important not only to themselves but to Ashland as a city. In their peregrination up and down the coast they have the opportunity and doubtless the disposition to say many nice things about places they visit.—(Clidings).

DAVIDSON ITEMS.

Miners are busy, with good prospects of a long run and a big cleanup. Miller & Savage are piling steadily and picking up much coarse gold. The eldest son of J. L. Woolridge had his leg broken lately by a horse falling on him. Farmers are anxious for the weather to clear up, as there is less grain sown at this time of year than is usual. Joseph Martin has sold his little farm in this vicinity to F. Lang, who will take possession in the spring. W. S. Baily, the rustling merchant of Davidson, a few days ago was showing up some quartz propositions to a mining man from Portland. Will Messner, son-in-law of J. W. York, has rented the farm of C. H. Basye, near here. May prosperity attend him and his newly made wife. An uncle of L. C. and C. H. Basye was here last week, visiting Luc, and inspecting our mining resources, accompanied by his wife. He was well pleased with this locality. J. E. Davidson, W. H. Miller and Arthur Gilmore have been placer mining near the old burg, on Williams creek. The handful of nuggets they picked up certainly indicates a good claim. L. L. Jewell, one of the owners of the Mountain Lion mine, was here last week. A force of men has been at work on this mine for some time, and have run a tunnel about 600 feet long to tap the ledge. They are now taking out ore from one of the veins cut in the tunnel and expect to cross-cut the other vein in the near future. The Biggest Transfer Yet. THE TIMES learns that the big mining syndicate, represented by J. W. Opp, and C. C. Beekman have completed negotiations whereby the former has become possessed of some valuable mining property, situated in Jackson creek district. The consideration is said to have been \$25,000. This means much to the future of Jacksonville, as no doubt one or more valuable ledges will be discovered here. The pioneer town of southern Oregon may yet become its principal one. Full particulars will be given in our next issue. Education in Porto Rico. The expense of maintaining schools in Porto Rico is very high. If we consider the amount spent for the small number of pupils enrolled, but as that country is gradually brought in closer touch with our own, their system will evidently be changed, until it reaches our present state of perfection. In this country the people are being educated to the fact that there is a sure cure for dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, and that medicine is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It should be taken at the very first symptom, if you would avoid unnecessary suffering. It will give prompt relief and eventually cure, as hundreds of people, including many prominent physicians, have testified during the past fifty years. Land for Sale. I have 1560 acres of land, all in one tract, on Antelope creek for sale. It is situated 18 miles from Jacksonville, 12 miles from Central Point, and 10 miles from Medford. I will sell this land in tracts of 100 acres up until all is sold, at \$10 per acre. It is good farming and grazing land, and a good stock range on the outside. I will sell all, or as low as 100 acres in a tract. Inquire of Wm. Bragg, Jacksonville, Or.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 10c.

Land for Sale.

Forty acres of land on Thompson creek. Has a dwelling thereon, 20x20 feet, with four rooms, a leg stable, 12x14 feet, 12 acres fenced and in cultivation. A few fruit trees. Clear title, free from incumbrance. Price \$200. Inquire of SILAS J. DAY, Real Estate Agent, Jacksonville, Or.

The Philippine Government.

Secretary of War Root is formulating plans whereby the Philippines will be given a civil government as soon as congress can enact the necessary legislation. The islands will be divided into departments with Taft as governor-general. Editor's Awful Plight. F. M. Higgins, editor of the Seneca (Ill.) News, was afflicted for years with Piles that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes that two boxes wholly cured him. Its surest pile cure on earth and the best sale in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by City Drug Store. A Branch Gallery. H. C. Mackey & Boyd have started a branch gallery in Jacksonville, in the Aiken building, California street, opposite Ryan's store. All work will be finished at Medford, and satisfaction assured. Work guaranteed to be the best. Trees! Trees! At the Riverside Nursery, Grant's Pass, Oregon, you will find all kinds of fruit trees, berry plants, shade trees and Monterey cypresses for hedge, etc. Prices reasonable, and satisfaction guaranteed. J. T. TAYLOR. A Bargain for Somebody. Complete printing outfit for sale. 7x11 press, type, etc. Only forty dollars. Enquire at TIMES office. FOR MARSHAL. At the request of a number of citizens of Jacksonville I have become an independent candidate for the office of Town Marshal. The favorable consideration of the voters at the election on March 5, 1901, is respectfully solicited. EHLER BAND.

"I wish you to publish my letter stating the grand effect LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND has had on my health." MRS. ANNA ASTON. "I was suffering to such an extent from ovarian trouble that my physician thought an operation would be necessary. Your medicine having been recommended to me, I decided to try it. After using several bottles I found that I was cured. My system was toned up and I suffered no more with my ovaries. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the greatest boon on earth to suffering women."—MRS. ANNA ASTON, Box 13, Troy, Mo. Ovarian trouble is serious trouble. Every woman knows this. Frequently she has ovarian trouble when she thinks she has only a "pain in the side." All at once she finds herself unable to walk. She is a sick woman. An operation, dangerous and expensive, is the usual procedure, and, at best, she can expect merely to gather together the shattered remnants of health after a tedious struggle. Many times this is necessary and many times it is not. It is wise for every woman to be convinced that every backache and sideache, every abdominal pain, indicates something wrong, and something which will not go away itself or be driven away by hard work. It is also right for every woman to know that for every disorder of the feminine organs Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the perfect treatment, that it is the medicine always safe to use and always certain to help. When your health and perhaps your life is at stake, it is wise to pass by a remedy which holds the record for the greatest number of absolute cures of female ill and which is recognized by the profession to be the greatest medicine for women in the world, and accept something else which you know little or nothing about? Read the records of cure in the letters like Mrs. Aston's printed regularly in this paper, and if you are sick, do not be satisfied to take a substitute for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. \$5000 REWARD We have deposited with the National City Bank, of Lyon, Mo., which will be paid to any person who can find that the above mentioned letter is not genuine, or was published before obtaining the writer's special permission. LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO.

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THE TRANSVAAL WAR.

New York, Feb. 27.—There are few additional details of the rout of the Dutch forces in South Africa, says the Tribune's London correspondent, but there is a buoyant feeling in military circles, and the end of the war seems nearer. The conjunction of Dewet's forces with the commandoes that were already in Cape Colony has been prevented, the invaders have been scattered in all directions and their resources have been paralyzed. Botha's force has been harassed and compelled to break up into small bands. Its losses in ammunition are heavy and the country is devastated. General Kitchener has, with scientific thoroughness, corralled the spare population here and there under strong guard and emptied the vast spaces of South African velt so that there is no possibility of continuing the war in an effective way. There are no relays of horses, no droves of cattle, and the velt is uninhabitable, and trainwrecking is the last resource of the guerrillas. There may be unforeseen accidents, but no military expert in London thinks the war will be prolonged beyond the first of July. It is reported that there were wagers made in Johannesburg at the opening of the year that the mines would be operated by the first week in July. Robbed the Grave. A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, my tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cts. Guaranteed by City Drug Store. RELIGIOUS APPOINTMENTS. Rev. Mr. Hansen will hold services at the M. E. church in Jacksonville Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Father Berthiaume will hold services at the Catholic church in Jacksonville, Sunday, March 3d, at 8:30 A. M.; and in Medford, on the same day, at 10:30 A. M. GERMAN BAPTIST.—Elder S. M. Eby will hold services at the following places: 1st and 3d Sunday in each month, at the church near Talent; second, at the Naylor school-house; 4th at Ashland. Property for Sale. The undersigned offers his residence, located in the best part of Jacksonville, for sale at a reasonable figure. O. BIEDE.

MINING NEWS.

Miners have an abundance of water, and the prospects for abig run were never better. Notices for the location of placer and quartz mines, etc., for sale at THE TIMES office. The old Bennett claim on Jump-off-Joe has been re-located by Miles Carter of Wimer. Miners' liens, deeds to mines, water right locations and other mining blanks always on hand at THE TIMES office. The Helen mines at Patterson creek, Scott valley, Calif., will soon be opened up again for operations as the snow disappears. The Spangler Bros. claim at the mouth of Humburg is now being worked energetically with a full force in the way of ground-slicing. The Cardozo claim on the Greenhorn is being worked day and night, and no doubt considerable gold will probably take out this season. The American Mining Code, stand, and authority on all subjects pertaining to mining, water-rights, etc., is kept on hand at THE TIMES office. The China Company on the Greenhorn above the Calkins place, are carrying on operations with the greatest energy, day and night, being well supplied with an abundance of water. Rich Pocket of Gold. The Examiner says that a rich pocket of gold was discovered in the Empire mine at Grass valley a few days ago. After the superintendent had taken out two carloads of the rich quartz, worth about \$30,000, he boarded up the pocket in which still remained a seam of gold valued at \$15,000, and sent for W. H. Crocker and several other directors of the company to inspect the rare find. When the directors arrived it was discovered that expert thieves familiar with the mine had blasted out and carried away the gold. In gaining an entrance to the tunnel, they had to crawl through a drain tunnel three thousand feet long, and then descend a shaft 1000 feet, follow along a drift for 800 feet and then descend 200 feet. It is supposed they took out with them the same devious way two sacks laden with the treasure. Six miners have been discharged and detectives are searching for their daring robbers and their booty.

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