

The reports of the week are more gratifying than any before received this season. The chief feature of the news is the astonishing product from the new diggings near Phoenix.

From Williamsburg and Applegate we learn that the miners are steadily engaged, with water plenty, and the claims paying as well as ever—from good to high wages.

Rich Gulch and Poor Man's Creek diggings yield handsomely as a general thing. The late storm was of great benefit to some of the claims in that district.

Both Forks of Jackson Creek, and the various diggings in the gulches leading from them, are now tolerably supplied with water, and the miners are all making the most of it by hastening their sluicing operations preparatory to washing up.

In a week or two the larger companies on Pleasant Creek will commence washing up, when we confidently look for heavy products.

Sudden Death.—Our town was cast into gloom on Thursday morning by intelligence of the death of Mr. Elijah Perry, partner in the house of Wade, Morgan & Co., of this place, and in the house of Perry, Wade & Co., of Canyonville.

From Josephine County.—We are indebted to two obliging correspondents in Josephine county for interesting news items, received by mail of Thursday.

All Bone and No Meat.—A post office has been granted by the Department to Williamsburg, and Mr. P. C. Wood, a very clever gentleman, appointed Postmaster.

Another Rich Yield.—One of the owners of the noted Applegate quartz lode yesterday brought to town 167 ounces of amalgam, it being the product of a partial cleaning up of the week's crushing.

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WASHINGTON BAKER.—The anniversary of the birthday of Washington promises to be generally observed in this and Josephine counties, in the way of Ball festivities.

BEHAVIOR.—The very many friends of Judge Prim will be pained to learn that his little daughter, aged between two and three years, was severely burned on Saturday morning last.

PRETTY SPECIMENS.—At Neuber's jewelry establishment can be seen one of the richest and prettiest specimens of gold quartz ever exhibited in this country.

CREW COURT.—The criminal calendar was cleared of all the more important cases last week, and the civil docket has been nearly cleared.

JACKSON COUNTY WATER DITCH COMPANY. We learn that this Company, organized for the purpose of constructing a ditch from the upper end of the Valley to Mill Creek, and thence leading to the mines in this section, have already expended of stock bond, and \$25,000 subscribed towards the work.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.—Next Friday will be the Anniversary of the Birthday of Washington. It is hoped our citizens will observe it with due honor.

BANNER PRESENTATION.—On Friday next, a beautiful banner is to be presented by Miss Louisa Horne to the Jacksonville Hook and Ladder Company.

VALENTINE'S DAY.—We presume this came off on the 14th as usual, but so far as we are aware, its observance in this section was so ignored that the most intimate friend of the ancient Saint would have recognized no act in honor to his memory.

THE EVANSVILLE HOTEL.—Ben. Haymond has taken this well known Hotel, as will be seen by advertisement, and will hereafter conduct it under his own superintendence.

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A GOOD BUSINESS

THIS undersigned contemplates leaving the State in March, and will therefore dispose of his entire property, business, utensils, etc., either together or separately, upon very low terms.

HOUSE AND LOT in Jacksonville, with stable attached, eligible situation. His utensils for carrying on the Upholstery & Sewing Business.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned are notified to call and settle before the 1st of March, or their accounts will be placed in legal hands for collection.

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS!

E. C. SESSIONS, California, bet'n Ogn. & 3d sts. (Nearly opposite Anderson & Glenn's) Is now receiving at his store a well selected stock of FINE AND HEAVY CLOTHING,

HEAVY BEAVER PILLOW OVERCOATS and Bag-Long, Heavy Cashmere, Highland Plaid and silk mixed suits. Fine colored and black Dress Coats and Pants, colored Arctic Down, Blue Pilot, English Ribbed Suspenders, Plaid, and Fancy Cassimere Business COATS, JACKS and FINE Black silk velvet, farmers' saddle, fancy cassimere and cloth coats; shirts, drawers, collars, hose, handkerchiefs, ties, suspenders, gloves, and

FURNISHING GOODS OF ALL KINDS. Rubber coats; Morins, hickory, glazed check and gray flannel shirts; jumpers, overalls, wool socks. Also a good assortment of AMERICAN, FRENCH, AND PERUVIAN HATS, BLANK BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

JACKSONVILLE DRUG STORE. THOMPSON & GREER. WE keep constantly on hand the best assortment of DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERIES, etc.

NEW STOCK! THE LARGEST, MOST COMPLETE EVER IN JACKSONVILLE. J. NEUBER HAS recently received a large and diversified assortment of

WE have this day commenced SELLING OFF OUR ENTIRE STOCK FALL AND WINTER Goods!

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. SACHS BROS. Jacksonville, Nov. 17th, 1860.

MARBLE YARD! THIS subscriber has established a Marble Yard on Coleman's creek, three miles west of Phoenix, where he is prepared to fill orders which may come to him for every description of work in his line.

ONE of our No. 1 Cheeses for sale at a very low figure. Jan. 12. WADE, MORGAN & CO. Black Books! If you own Black Books, call at the Jacksonville Book and Variety store, corner California and Oregon streets.

UNION Livery and Sales Stables.

THESE STABLES are centrally located, and convenient to the Union Hotel. Horses and mules will be kept by the day or week, at moderate charges. The proprietors pledge themselves to give satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call.

HOLIDAY GIFTS! PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS: AT THE VARIETY STORE

Beautifully Bound and Handsomely Illustrated Gift Books, Albums, and Poetical Works.

CIGARS! CIGARS! TOBACCO! TOBACCO! MAX BRENTANO

VALLEY MILLS, PHENIX OGN, TO THE PUBLIC: THE undersigned, Proprietor of the above Flouring Mills, is now prepared to Manufacture or Exchange Flour for Wheat; Purchase Wheat; Grind for Toll or Money; and guarantee a good article of Flour.

IMPORTANT NEWS! GOODS CHEAPER THAN EVER AT THE CHEAP CASH STORE! BY SACHS BROS., WE HAVE THIS DAY COMMENCED SELLING OFF OUR ENTIRE STOCK FALL AND WINTER Goods!

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C. C. BIRDSEYE, Having purchased the entire stock of Goods of the late firm of KESSEY & HAINES, will continue the business at the old stand, on the Corner of California and Oregon Streets.

New Winter Stock - OF - Miners' & Farmers' GOODS!

AS CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST FOR CASH! TIMOTHY SEED for sale at BIRDSEYE'S. ONION SEEDS for sale at BIRDSEYE'S.

2000 LBS. NEW LARD, in tin, for sale at BIRDSEYE'S. 5000 LBS. OREGON AND CHILE BEANS, for sale at BIRDSEYE'S.

FUNK'S VARIETY STORE! West Side of California St. Jacksonville, WHERE can be found the best of HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, OF ALL KINDS,

BOOKS AND STATIONERY! Just received a new and large collection of Books and Stationery, Histories, Poetical Works, Miscellaneous Reading, and all kind of Novels.

EL DORADO SALOON cor. California & Oregon sts., Jacksonville, \$3,500 of the Best Liquors.

W. P. HOFFMAN. THE established and popular House has been purchased, and is now kept by

Wines, Liquors, Malt Beverages, Cordials, Liqueurs, and Cigars.

BILLIARD TABLES, for the recreation and exercise of guests who may desire to engage in this delightful, beneficial game.

CITY DRUG STORE California St., Jacksonville. DR. A. B. OVERBECK, HAVING just returned from San Francisco, would respectfully call the attention of the public to his new and extensive stock of

PURE DRUGS & CHEMICALS! An assortment of crude, pulverized, obnoxious and fine-tinted DRUGS! All the most popular PATENT MEDICINES, of the day.

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Notice.

In the County Court of Jackson County, State of Oregon, January Term, A. D. 1861. Petition for Conveyance of Real Estate.

IT appearing by the petition on file in the above entitled cause that the said petitioners are entitled to a conveyance from the administrator of the said David N. Herrin, deceased, of the following described real estate, situate in the county of Jackson and State of Oregon, to-wit: Land claim number thirty-nine (39), in township thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38), in range two (2) west, as the same appears on the map of Government surveys on file in the Recorder's Office of said county, and being bounded on the north by the land claim of John A. Boush, on the east by the land claims of Davidson and Tice and James T. Tucker, on the south by the land claim of Wm. Hoffman, and on the west by the land claim of N. Kloppestein, which the decedent was on his lifetime bound by contract, in writing, to convey unto the said petitioners; it is therefore ordered by the Court that said petition be heard

On the First Monday in March, A. D. 1861, at the Court House, in Jackson county, Oregon, at which time and place all persons interested are hereby notified to be and appear before the Court and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the said petition for a conveyance of the said real estate should not be granted, and a decree rendered in accordance therewith.

By order of the Court, J. C. TOLMAN, Judge. Attest: Wm. HOFFMAN, Clerk. Sheriff's Sale. BY virtue of an execution duly issued by the Clerk of the County of Jackson, in and for said county, Oregon, in favor of Anderson & Glenn, and against Joseph K. Achley, for the sum of two hundred and eighty-four and sixty-four hundredths dollars (\$284.64-100), with interest and costs, I have levied upon, and will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, on the premises, on

Tuesday, the 19th Day of February, 1861, all the right, title and interest of the said Joseph K. Achley to the following described real estate, with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any way appertaining, to-wit: The south half of Lot numbers three (3) and four (4), in block number seventeen (17) as laid down on the plat of the town of Jacksonville, Jackson county, Oregon, fronting fifty feet on Fourth street and running back one hundred feet on an street, in said town. Sale between the hours of one and four p. m.

Attachment Notice. ACTION AT LAW TO RECOVER MONEY. GEORGE W. JORDAN, Plaintiff, vs. GEORGE W. JORDAN, Defendant.

YOU are hereby notified that, on the 16th day of August, 1860, suit was commenced against you by said plaintiff for the recovery of the sum of \$1,450.00, and your property attached, and unless you appear in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Josephine, to be held in Korbville on the Twenty-Eighth Day of February, 1861, and answer the complaint filed in this cause, the same will be taken for confessed, and the prayer thereof granted by the Court.

Administrator's Sale of REAL ESTATE. In the matter of the Estate of JAMES HERRIN, Deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that I will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, on

On the Saturday, the Second Day of March next, at 2 o'clock, p. m., at the Court House door in Jacksonville, Jackson county, Oregon, as per order of the Honorable County Court for Jackson county, February Term, A. D. 1861, all the right, title and interest which the said James Herrin had at the time of his death in the

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WE have just received a large addition to our stock of goods, to-wit: Winter Clothing. A large stock of Winter Clothing, as follows: Beaverside heavy overcoats, latest style casual business suits, do. fine cloth dress suits, do. overcoats for men and boys, do. jackets, pantaloons, do. of all kinds. A complete stock of M... finishing Goods, fresh from New York.

Boots and Shoes. Also an immense stock of Boots and Shoes of every variety; Gent's fine dress boots and ladies' gaiters; the largest assortment of ladies' and children's shoes and gaiters ever brought to this market; ladies', gent's, Misses' and children's rubber sandals; men's rubber coats and pants, boots and shoes.

Liquors, Syrups and Bitters. In our cellar may be found a very large stock of pure French and Domestic Brandy; pure French and California Wines, for medicinal use; Monongahela Whiskey, do. Bourbon, in bulk and cases; Old Tom and Holland Gin; Champagne, a large stock of the best brands; Foreign and California; in fact, a full assortment of LIQUORS, WINES, CORDIALS, BITTERS AND SYRUPS.

JOHNSON'S EXPRESS LINE Jacksonville and Waldo. WEEKLY DISPATCH. THE undersigned will run a weekly line of wagons between Jacksonville and Waldo (Salter Diggings) during the Winter months, the line to connect with trains for passengers or freight to and from Crescent City.

DR. A. B. OVERBECK'S FRUIT TREES. Medicated, Sulphur, Vapor, Cold and Warm Baths. Cold and warm baths can be taken at any hour of the day; medicated and vapor baths from two to four o'clock p. m.

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