

OREGON SENTINEL.

JACKSONVILLE
SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1883.

NOTICE.

Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., June 28, 1883.
To all Whom it may Concern:
Notice is hereby given that I have designated the OREGON SENTINEL as the paper in which I shall hereafter publish all pre-emptions, homesteads and applications for mining patents for lands lying near Jacksonville, Jackson county, Oregon.
W. F. BENJAMIN, Register.

Lost.—On the streets of Jacksonville a gold chain bracelet with garnet setting for which the finder will be rewarded by returning to this office.
NOTICE.—The largest assortment of fashionable ladies fine millinery goods, silks, satins &c., ever brought to Jacksonville is now displayed at J. S. Howards.

For Sale.—Contemplating removal from Jacksonville, L. Solomon offers his residence on California, St., an excellent piece of property, for sale cheap; also a good assortment of household and kitchen furniture. Give him an early call.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The members of Oregonian-Pocahontas Tribe No. 1, Imp'd O. R. M., are requested to attend the next meeting (Tuesday, May 1st), as there will be initiation and other business of importance. By order of the SACHEM.

For Miners.—Wanted a large quantity of the black iron sand accompanying the gold deposits in hydraulic mines. Good price paid for same. State quantity on hand and send average sample in a small glass bottle to the office of this paper.

INTERNAL REVENUE REBATES.—The blanks for rebate and rebate labels, which are also in blank, have been received by the authorities here, and those interested should make all preparations as well as direct applications as soon as possible. The first day of May is the date when inventories must be taken and the necessary stamps can be had at this office.

SISTER'S CONCERT.—This entertainment will take place at Holt's Hall next Friday evening—May 4th—when a fine programme will be presented by the pupils of the school assisted by some of our local talent. The concert is for the benefit of the Sister's school and we expect to see a large turnout. Admission 50 cents; children, half price.

AUCTION SALE.—About May 25th G. Karowski will offer for sale at auction all of his agricultural implements, consisting of mowers, reapers, horse and sulky rakes, plows, etc., all new and of the best manufacture. Everything will be sold without reserve and if the machines are not what is claimed for them they can be returned when the money will be refunded.

M. E. SOCIABLE.—A large gathering assembled at the residence of Fred B. J. Sharp last Wednesday evening to contribute their mite towards assisting M. E. Sunday school, when a very pleasant evening was spent and the treasury of the school enriched to the extent of about \$40. Refreshments were served and everything passed off nicely, for all of which the managers return thanks.

THEIR LAST SMOKE.—Parties from the railroad inform us that two "sports" who had just arrived at the front in- deliged in considerable tanglefoot on their arrival there, and afterwards visited a Chinese opium den where they "cut the pipe." After indulging in a certain amount of the drug they went to sleep, a sleep from which they never awakened, and coffins for two were ordered at last accounts. Their names were not known.

REPORTED KILLED.—Pat McMahon informs us that a report reached Kerbyville on Thursday last saying that Chris Caldwell had been shot and killed at Abraham's mill on the railroad the day before. The row is said to have occurred in a saloon over a game of cards and the name of the man who is reported to have done the shooting is said to be Petty. These are all the particulars we were able to find out. Caldwell is well known in Josephine county, having at one time been a candidate for the office of State Senator from that county, but was defeated.

RELIGIOUS.—R. C. Oglesby will preach the funeral sermon of Frank Ball next Sunday at Phoenix school-house at 11 o'clock a. m. First Sunday in May will hold quarterly meeting at Drake's school house, services to commence on Saturday the fifth at 11 a. m. Rev. M. A. Williams will preach at the Presbyterian church in this place next Sunday, morning and evening. Elder M. Peterson and H. C. Fleming will hold services at Eagle Point Sunday both morning and evening. Rev. B. J. Sharp will preach the funeral sermon of the deceased son of Thos. Curry at the Antioch school-house Sunday, at 11 o'clock a. m. Rev. A. C. Howlett will hold services at the Antelope school-house on the first Sunday morning in May. Subject: "Does the Bible teach the necessity of sinning?" Regular services at the Catholic church here, Rev. F. X. Blanchet officiating. He will also hold mass at St. Francis church, Eagle Point, on the first Sunday in May, at 11 o'clock a. m. The quarterly meeting of Applegate circuit M. E. Church, South, will be held at the Drake school-house commencing May 5th.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Spring weather.
Call on Cohn for the latest styles in hats.

Wool is quoted at 25 cents in San Francisco.
Call at Dr. Vrooman's Dispensary for your drugs.

M. Colwell paid \$200 for his stallion, "Farmer's Pride."

Oregon City, says the "Enterprise," is troubled with tramps.

Fast time will commence on the stage line next Tuesday.

Ed Smith and family will go to Grant's Pass soon to locate.

Call on Plymouth for your ivory out-fits. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Red Men's prize ball one week from next Friday. Come everybody.

Crops look fine and an abundant harvest is in store for our gardeners.

Crystal & Savage have quit business at Wolf creek and returned to town.

Mrs. E. Jacobs has again placed us under obligations for a supply of mat-zos.

E. C. Brooks has sold his band of Angora goats to Robt. Westrop for \$450.

Have you seen the new stock of millinery goods received at Howard's this week?

Fred Drake and Dr. Parsons of Ashland made Jacksonville a short visit yesterday.

The Ashland woolen mills are increasing their capacity by adding new machinery.

President Henry Villard, the railroad king, was at Riddle last Tuesday on a tour of inspection.

A large lot of novelties of different kinds just received at E. C. Brook's store. Examine his stock.

A fine lot of hats, from the cheapest to the most expensive, have just been received by Little & Chase.

Jacob Grob was appointed administrator of the estate of L. Petzold, deceased, by the county court.

The Ashland Woolen Mfg Co. is paying cash for wool, and will buy all good clean wool that is offered.

W. L. Record returned from Yreka last Thursday and will soon take a trip to Roseburg and Coos Bay.

A. D. Rockefeller & Co., Attorneys and Counsellors at Law and Real Estate Agents, Ashland, Oregon.

Cronmiller & Birdseye have added another forge to their blacksmith shop with Eugene Savage at the bellows.

Read W. B. Kincaid's notice among the new advertisements. He offers some sheep, horses and hogs for sale.

B. F. Duwell has gone to Roseburg to be on hand when the Applegate property is sold on the execution held by him.

We have received a sample of black sand, advertised for by the railroad company, and a large order for the same will likely be filled.

We made some clippings from Fred V. Holman's letter from this place to the Port and "Oregonian," which will be found on days outside.

H. H. Wolters has located on a piece of land on the other side of the Siskiyou tunnel and will open a saloon there when the work begins.

Judge Prim started for Lakeview last Friday to attend the regular term of court at that place. Judge Hanna and J. R. Neil will start next week.

Mr. Hubbard, a gentleman from the Eastern States, will take charge of the Jacksonville agency for the D. M. Osborne & Co. agricultural machinery.

A lively round of fistcuffs took place at the U. S. Hotel yesterday morning between one of the guests and a China waiter. The battle was declared a draw.

Work on the court house foundation has again been suspended for a short time, there not being enough rock on hand to go on without interruption.

A drove of 175 head of young cattle passed through town this week on their way from Applegate to Lake county. They belonged to Bolt & Robinson.

Considerable bacon is being shipped to Yreka by Jackson county farmers. Beall Bros. disposed of over 10,000 pounds in that market this week at good prices.

The Odd fellows of this place contemplate making numerous improvements to their lodge room here besides some outside repairs that are necessary on their building.

Messrs. Vaughn & Carr will commence making brick for the court house next Monday. Their kiln is on the Cardwell place and they have a contract for 400,000.

Over five hundred emigrants arrived in San Francisco from the east last Sunday. They were all provided with tickets for either Washington territory or Oregon.

If you want a Sewing Machine call at E. C. Brooks' drug, watch, clock, and jewelry store. His machines are a little finer and his prices a little snugger, than any other bugger's.

Our worthy Postmaster, Max Muller, has not lost confidence in Jacksonville because the railroad will miss us, as he purchased the Ed Smith residence this week paying \$800 in cash therefor.

Report says that J. F. McMahon has "skipped for parts unknown" and his sureties mourn him to the extent of \$500, that being the amount for which he was held for killing his father.

Farmers will take notice that G. Karowski will soon commence selling all kinds of agricultural implements at public auction. They are all of standard make and new. Reserve your orders.

L. Silberstein, the well known traveler who pays Jacksonville a visit at least once each year, was here this week as agent for the large boot and shoe house of Rosenthal, Feder & Co. of S. F., and done a good trade with our merchants.

The fact that \$377,000 worth of boots and shoes were shipped from California to Portland during last month, is not much to the credit of the enterprise of the metropolis. All these goods could, and should have been manufactured in Portland.

K. Kubi, S. J. Day, A. L. Johnson E. Band and Dr. Stryker, together with the Jacksonville Brass Band, attended the Odd Fellow's celebration at Kerbyville last Thursday. They will probably return to day when we will try and secure a full report of their conduct.

The "Waco Sun" has recently been enlarged to a thirty-two column paper. The "Sun" is a well conducted wide awake journal, and well worthy the extensive patronage which it enjoys. We congratulate it upon its enterprise and hope its size and circulation may never grow less.

The report that a shooting affair came near taking place at the Chavner farm on Rogue River is all a mistake, nothing of the kind having taken place. We make this explanation although the SENTINEL never said that there had been an occurrence of that kind at the place mentioned.

S. S. Cook, tunnel contractor, H. B. Miller, bridge builder, D. Loring, right-of-way agent, and Homer Harkness, contractor for supplies, were in town several days this week, extending their trip as far as Ashland. They were looking at and figuring on the tunnels and other work on the Siskiyou.

The Supreme Court of this State has decided the case of Kelly vs. Ruble in favor of the latter which probably is the end of litigation over the mines on Cayote creek in Josephine county. Mr. Kelly will now have to give possession of the mines to Ruble and his only hope is with the Supreme Court of the United States.

About twenty-five friends of Jake Klippel and Phos. Keaton called on the latter at their mine on Poorman's creek this week on a friendly visit, but the visitors—men and horses—drank up all the water that the boys had been using for mining purposes and they have therefore been obliged to suspend work.

The new postoffice at Tallent in this county is now in running order. The office at Whippley has been discontinued as the Postmaster never qualified. An effort is being made to have the Gasquet office in Del Norte county, Cal., discontinued. Those agitating the project claiming that it accommodates very few people and interferes with the mail line by causing delays.

We learn that on last Monday evening the time set for the adjourned meeting of the Directors of the Agricultural Society, there was no quorum present and no meeting was held. In general conversation among the Directors present, the "Journal" says it was about concluded not to hold a Fair in Yreka this year, as some of the parties most benefited had declined to subscribe.

D. M. Osborne & Co have rented Sample Rooms &c. in Jacksonville Oregon and will sell mowers at \$100 each delivered at Jacksonville free of freight also will keep on hand a full line of extras and repairs for the mowers and harvesting machinery and will sell smooth and serrated edge sections at 15 cents each for the season of 1883.

A. USTICK.
Agt. for Southern Oregon.

France now has two small wars on her hands. One is directed against the savage negro tribes on the lower Congo and the other against the semi-barbarous inhabitants of Annam. Commercial necessity is the alleged reason for both these expeditions. If some stronger European power should urge the same excuse for assisting either of these nations France may have occasion to regret the over hasty indulgence of her ambition to enlarge her possessions.

The Rev. B. J. Sharp will deliver a course of lectures in the Presbyterian church at Phoenix beginning on next Tuesday evening. On Tuesday evening the subject of the lecture will be "God A Personal Being." Wednesday evening, "Science and Religion," Thursday evening, "Evolution," Friday evening, "Genesis and Geology." Every body is cordially invited to attend and no one should fail to accept the invitation. Mr. Sharp is a careful thinker and a good speaker and his lectures well deserve a careful and candid hearing.

Conductor Sally, who came down Monday on the train from the front, on the Southern extension of the O. & C. railroad, reports to the "Standard" that on Saturday last a Chinaman, who was engaged as a book man and had charge of paying the Chinamen their wages, sat down on a keg of giant powder to wait for them to come. He had just drawn \$1,000 in greenbacks for the purpose of paying them, and while sitting there the keg from some unknown cause exploded, blowing him into atoms and the money with him. Not even a piece of his body could be found, nor anything of his clothing except a small portion of what was supposed to be his overalls. A very few straggling pieces of the greenbacks were found, but not enough to put them together to make them of any value.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Capt. Dolsen's railroad surveying party is now camped near Fort Lane and are working this way. They will probably reach the centre of the valley, at a point opposite Jacksonville, some time next week.

The people are getting a little more excited on the railroad question, since active operations have been commenced above Redding. The riddle of where it will go in passing through Shasta Valley, has not yet been determined, though the general opinion prevails that the route will be along the old Hood survey which leaves Yreka to the west, some six or seven miles. Either this route will be taken, or else through the Cedars to Little Shasta, the building survey not having been made yet between Strawberry Valley and the Oregon line. Possibly when the road reaches the head of Shasta Valley, some arrangement might be made to build through Yreka, or else connect with a branch, provided it is built on the Hood route.—"Journal."

The Redding "Free Press" has the following railroad items: Wednesday a yard engine appeared on the scene, and Yard Master, Jack Anstey, is kept busy shifting cars from one track to another, and the tingling of the bell indicates considerable commotion around the depot. A large force of Chinese have gone to Motion Creek, a distance of twelve miles, to work on the first tunnel. There are five tunnels between here and the Sacramento bridge, a distance of 36 miles. The second tunnel is the Pitt River, 18 miles distant; 300 feet through; third, Horseshoe, 19 miles distant, 350 feet through; fourth, Peach Orchard, 26 miles distant, 1,300 feet through; fifth, Sugar Loaf, distant 27 miles, 406 feet through. The first crossing of the Sacramento river is twenty five miles distant and is 600 feet across. Sisson & Crocker have arrived with their traveling general merchandise store, to feed and clothe the celestials at figures about one-third more than our merchants charge.

The work above Redding is progressing rapidly, with a large force employed, and ties are piled in great quantity on the route, shipped from below, also steel rails and other material. Workmen are coming every day, and there are 3,000 men at work, with about 2,000 more to be added within a month or so. All the wagon makers at Sacramento and San Francisco are full of business, making railroad carts, which are the most serviceable in the grading work along the mountain sides. In loosening dirt and gravel the Judson blasting powder is used, by placing 50 pound boxes in holes 4 or 5 feet deep and 10 or 12 feet apart, increasing the quantity of powder if holes are sunk deeper. There is to be a long tunnel of 1,300 feet, which will hit low work, and the company first talked of building a temporary trestle work around the hill, but lately think it cheaper to run over it in zigzag manner, until the tunnel can be finished. In blasting rock giant powder is first used to open seams into which blasting powder is then placed. Giant powder works downward on account of its quickness, while blasting powder throws the debris upward or outward wherever the ground is weakest. At the Siskiyou mountain, prospect holes are being sunk to ascertain the nature of the rock to cut through in making the tunnel, and Mr. Collins now superintending this preliminary work, has secured the services of a number of miners from Cottonwood, in this county.—"Journal."

NEW POSTAL REGULATIONS.—It is well known that the last Congress reduced letter postage to two cents, to take effect October 1st, next. In the money order system, "postal rates" for sums under \$5 are issued at a cost of three cents. Money orders have heretofore been limited to \$50, but here after the limit is raised to \$100, the fees for which are fixed as follows: For orders not exceeding \$10, eight cents; exceeding \$10, and not exceeding \$15, ten cents; exceeding \$15 and not exceeding \$30, fifteen cents; exceeding \$30 and not exceeding \$40, twenty cents; exceeding \$40 and not exceeding \$50, twenty-five cents; exceeding \$50, and not exceeding \$60, thirty cents; exceeding \$60, and not exceeding \$70, thirty-five cents; exceeding \$70 and not exceeding \$80, forty cents; exceeding \$80 and not exceeding \$100, forty five cents. The working days of employees at the Post office Department after October 1st will be fixed now.

The people of Albany have taken measures to solve the tramp nuisance, problem in a practical way. Whenever a tramp "strikes" that town he is promptly arrested and if found guilty is set to work sawing wood, under the direction of the marshal. Some of them "buck" a little, but the tramp who "saw" that town once cuts clear of it ever after.

GOOD CHANCE.—A young man in this county aged twenty-seven years, desires to correspond with some lady between the age of nineteen and twenty-two years—object marriage. Address J. W. H., in care of this office.

CHALLENGE.—We, the Jacksonville Base Ball Club, do hereby challenge the First Nine of Ashland to play a game of base ball at Jacksonville on May 11, 1883.

F. W. SAVAGE, Secretary.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.—On and after May 1st tolls on the Centennial and Rock Point bridges across Rogue River will be full rate.

THOMAS CHAYNER, WHITE BROS.

FOR SALE.—S. Cohn offers for sale two excellent milch cows at a bargain. One has a young calf and the other will soon have also. Call soon if you want to secure a bargain.

IS ALUM POISONOUS?

Dr. Hall's "Journal of Health," in a recent issue, says:

"This question has caused a good deal of discussion. Alum is used by many bakers to whiten their bread, enabling them to use an inferior flour. It is more extensively employed as a cheap substitute for cream of tartar in the manufacture of baking powder. It has not been considered immediately dangerous; although if continued it induces dyspepsia and obstinate constipation. But the fact that many cases of poisoning have occurred from baking powders which contained alum, puts the question in a more serious aspect, and prudent people will exercise caution in the selection of baking powders."

"Under what conditions, then, does this substance—formerly used only for mechanical or medicinal purposes—become poisonous? They are certainly obscure, and at present we can only surmise what they may be. We suspect that the cause exists in the individual poisoned; some peculiarity of the constitution producing a morbid change in the secretions of the stomach, with which the alum combines and forms an active poison; or the secretions may be healthy but in unusual proportions, and that these less or greater proportions, in combination with the alum constitute a poison."

"For example, two parts of mercury and two parts of chlorine for calomel, which is not poisonous; but change the proportions to one part of mercury and two parts of chlorine, and we get corrosive sublimate, which is a deadly poison."

"Then, again we know nothing of the causes of constitutional peculiarities. Why is it that one person can eat all kinds of green fruits and vegetables with impunity, while the same course might cost another individual his life? One person can handle poison ivy and sumac without being in the least affected; another is poisoned if he approaches to within ten feet of them. Out of a family residing in a malarial district, some of the members will suffer half the year with fever and ague, while the others will enjoy excellent health during the entire year. Foods that are wholesome to some persons are actually poisonous to others. This is especially true of some kinds of fish. There is no safety in taking alum into the stomach, as it is shown to be always injurious, and often dangerous. Baking powders properly compounded, and containing pure cream of tartar instead of alum, are more convenient than yeast; and bread and pastry made with them are just as wholesome, and far more palatable. We are in entire sympathy with the manufacturers of the Royal Baking Powder—who commenced and are vigorously conducting the war against the use of alum in baking powders."

"Before committing ourselves, however, we made tests of a sufficient number of baking powders to satisfy our selves that the substitution of alum for cream of tartar in their composition has not been over estimated while a careful examination of the Royal Baking Powder confirms our belief that Dr. Mott, the Government Chemist, when he singled out and commended this powder for its wholesomeness, did it wholly in the interest of the public."

"We do not hesitate to say that the Royal Baking Powder people deserve the gratitude of the community whom they are endeavoring to protect."

"Will not some prominent manufacturer of pure Candies follow their example, and expose the secret of a business that is doing untold mischief to little children?"

Three Earnings for sale. E.quire of T. G. Reames, Jacksonville, Oregon.

MARRIED.

MULKEY-GUYER.—At Roseburg, April 2, 1883, by Hon. J. S. Fitzhugh, Jas. Mulkey and Mary Jane Guyer.

MALONEY-GLAZE.—In Jump-off, Joe precinct, April 10, 1883, by J. S. W. Smith, J. P., John Maloney and Miss Silvia Glaze.

KOESTER-COVERDALE.—In this city, April 21, 1883, by Hon. S. J. Day, County Judge, A. Koester and Miss Lucinda Coverdale.

BORN.

CRAIG.—In Josephine county, March 20, 1883, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Craig, a son.

ROSE.—At Phoenix, April 19, 1883, to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Rose, a daughter.

COFFEE.—At Bybee's ferry, April 22, 1883, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Coffee, a daughter.

GRIMES.—In Slate creek precinct, April 13, 1883, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Grimes, a daughter.

CROSBY.—In Ellen precinct, April 22, 1883, to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crosby, a daughter.

DIED.

PETZOLD.—In Jacksonville, April 22, 1883, of dropsy, Louis Petzold; aged 58 years.

POTTER.—On Antelope creek, April 19, 1883, Miss Lilly Potter; aged 23 years.

ROACH.—At Ashland, April 13, 1883, infant daughter of H. and America Roach; aged 3 months.

BAUER.—At Ashland, April 15, 1883, Otto, son of Frank and Mary Bauer; aged 9 years, 1 month and 16 days.

MCCARTON.—At Ashland, April 16, 1883, Geo. W., son of A. P. and A. A. McCarton; aged 5 years, 10 months and 20 days.

BROCKMAN.—In Josephine county, March 17, 1883, Anna, daughter of Milton and Martha C. Brockman; aged 25 years and 18 days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale 500 or 600 head of ewes with their lambs, also 4 head of good work horses and 100 head of stock hogs. For further particulars call on or address
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Jacksonville, Feb. 13, 1883.

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